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BIRTHS.

IRWIN—October 27, 1924, at Killygavna, Tydavnet, County Monaghan, the wife of William Irwin, a son.

KNOWLES—November 1, 1924, at Private Nursing Home, 40 Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin, to Rev. R. Atkin and Mrs. Knowles, The Manse, Arklow, a son.

MARRIAGE.

STEVENSON and WHALEY—October 28, 1924, at Nasik, Bombay Presidency, George Stevenson, B.A.I., Executive Engineer P.W. Dept., of Motihari, Behar, youngest son of W. R. Stevenson, 42 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook, Dublin, and the late Mrs. E. C. Stevenson, to Violet, only daughter of Mrs. Whaley, Holmesdale Gardens, Hastings, and the late Rev. William Whaley, Vicar of Forcett, near Darlington, Durham.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BRADDELL—November 2, 1924, at Stoney Lodge, Brockenhurst, George Claud Flood, late of Bullingate and Newlands, County Wexford, the beloved husband of Florence Edith Braddell, aged 8C.

BRADFORD—November 3, 1924, at Portarlington, Harriett Bradford, aged 85 years. Funeral leaves for Monasterevan Parish Church to-day (Wednesday) 1 p.m. No flowers, by request.

DENROCHE—November 3, 1924, at her residence, Glenfield, Bray, Elizabeth, wife of Charles H. Denroche. Funeral strictly private.

FIELD—November 3, 1924, at his residence, Shanganagh Park Shankill, after a short illness, Patrick Field, aged 76 years. Very deeply regretted by his family and friends. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Columba's Church, Ballybrack, this (Wednesday) morning at 9.30 to Glasnevin Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

JAMESON—October 28, 1924, at his residence, 7a Esplanade, Budlington, suddenly, after much suffering, Ernest E. Jameson, dearly-loved husband of Eva Jameson. Deeply mourned.

KELLY—November 4, 1924, at a Nursing Home in Dublin, Helen Mary, eldest daughter of the late John William Kelly, St. Helen's, Westport. Funeral (strictly private) Kilternan Church to-morrow (Thursday).

McCALL—October 28, 1924, at his residence, Dunida, Banbridge, Charles Hugh McCall, J.P. Interment took place October 30th at New Cemetery, Banbridge.

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GRAHAM—In sad and loving memory of a devoted husband and daddy, James Smith (Jim) Graham, 5 Vergemount, Clonskeagh, called Home November 5th, 1923. Deeply mourned. "Till we meet."

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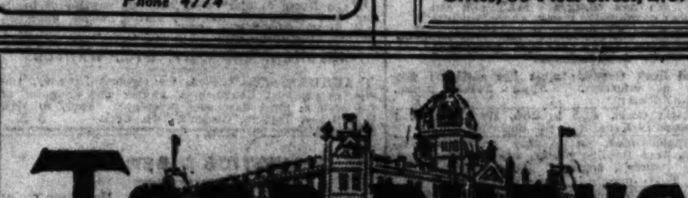
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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

CLERK open to immediate engagement; six years' experience; highest reference.—C 94, this office. 3 O

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MILLINERY and General Drapery—Young Lady wishes to hear of vacancy to above; good experience; highest reference from last employer; country town preferred. Address "Z 3842, Millinery," this office. 3 O

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WANTED, Sewing at lady's house.—C 311, this office.

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YOUNG Girl seeks position Bookkeeper and office work; butcher shop preferred.—H., Wilde's Office, Bray. 2 D

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YOUNG Protestant Useful Help wishes post immediately in small family; good references; in or near Dublin preferred.—B O 1278, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 3 E

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

YOUNG Girl as Grocery and Provision Assistant; good references; assist housework.—C 298, this office.

YOUNG Lady seeks Position, Clerical or Bookshop; 7 years' experience.—C 315, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

GAMEKEEPER, Trapper Wanted, single; active; state age, wages expected, etc.; live in; send copies discharges.—Blake Kelly, Ballymoe. 1 D

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STABLEMAN-Groom—Wanted immediately good steady married man, able to clip and trim, ride, etc. Apply, first instance, only by letter, enclosing last two papers to "Z 3868, Stableman-Groom," this office. 4 F

WANTED, near Kildare, a married man, who understands Working an Oil Engine and General Work. Address, with copies discharges, age, and wages, to "Z 3851, Man," this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

FOREMEN Gardeners—Two required; must be thoroughly experienced under glass, including carnations. Apply, with copies, stating age, religion, and wages, Joseph Orr and Son, Ltd., Seedsmen, Belfast. 31 O

GARDENER Wanted; able to drive motor, and some knowledge running repairs; not under 30. Send copies testimonials to C 60, this office. 1 D

WANTED, good Working Gardener. Apply, stating age, wages required, family, and full references and particulars, to Colonel Quin, Borleagh, Inch, Co. Wexford. 4 X

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

BUTLER and Valet, Protestant, take job; wages £50.—983, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

EMPLOYERS, try Ferguson's Registry, Carlow, for excellent Farm Labourers, Herds, Generals, Milkers, etc.; married or single. T

GENERAL Man, married; care cattle, horses, milk; lodge house provided; highly recommended.—C 25, this office. 2 D

GENERAL Man wants odd days vicinity Newtownpark, Blackrock, Foxrock; dig gardens, trim hedges; good milker and all farm work; good references. Address "Z 3830, Man," this office. 3 C

GROOM, experienced all branches, bloodstock, stallions, hunters; train; useful other ways.—Graham, Collinstown, Mullingar.

GROOM or Groom Gardener; can be well recommended; married; Co. Kildare preferred. Address "Z 3832, Groom," this office. 4 F

GOOD experienced Horseman seeks position, hunters or bloodstock. Address "Z 3883, Horseman," this office. 4 D

HERD General disengaged, thorough knowledge of diseases, understanding farm machinery; can be highly recommended by last employer; cattle farm or home farm. Apply Lynch, Darver, Castlebellingham, Co. Louth.

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MARRIED Couple (Protestants); man generally useful, valeting; wife plain cook; good references.—C 295, this office. 4 D

MARRIED Couple (Protestants), go indoor to family of two; provincial town preferred; immediate. Address "Z 3867, Couple," this office. 4 F

TWO Trappers seek employment by week or copule; state terms. Address "Z 3878, Trappers," this office. 4 F

YOUNG Man wants situation, Cook or Wait, business or private house; highly recommended.—C 212, this office.

YARDMAN, married; understands horses, cattle, plain gardening; good reliable worker; well recommended. Address "Z 3880, Yardman," this office. 4 D

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED

GOOD Plain Working Gardener, young, single, seeks situation; 16 years' experience; would milk if required; excellent reference; state terms.—J. Butler, Esker, Ballindine, Co. Mayo. 4 F

GARDENER, general Handy Man, married, seeks situation.—C 176, this office. 3 E

HEAD Working Gardener, disengaged, seeks employment; married, R.C.; thorough knowledge gardening; highly recommended. Address "Z 3876, Gardener," this office.

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LAND Steward seeks position; practical experience in all farm work; attended Agricultural College; best references. Apply "Steward," c/o "Limerick Chronicle," Limerick. 3 O

LAND Steward, well up in farming, all branches, forestry, saw mills, garden, etc.; wife would care dairy, fowl and house if required; handsworking and sober; moderate terms accepted.—C 288, this office. 4 F

TO Nurserymen—Expert Mushroom Grower open for engagement; 12 years' successful experience.—Box No. 1522, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 31 O

WORKING Gardener and General Man seeks situation, milk if required; wife help in house; Protestant; highly recommended. Address "Z 3807, Gardener," this office. 4 F

YOUNG Man, single, disengaged; do plain gardening, milk, care pony.—McGill, Kilbride, Trim. 3 E

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED, capable, trustworthy Woman, milk and help general work farmhouse; comfortable home, Co. Cavan; wages £20. Address "Z 3767, Woman," this office. 31 O

WANTED, smart Maid, small family; good references required. Apply, after 6, Brystog, Kenilworth Park, Dublin. 3 E

WANTED, country Girl, 14 to 16 years, help with light housework; references essential; state terms; good home.—C 194, this office. 3 C

WANTED, Daily Maid (R.C.), plain cooking, small washing; hours 9 to 7; Donnybrook district. Apply C 286, this office. 4 D

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There are many vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "IRISH TIMES" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fees charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where Servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

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COOK Wanted, Fitzwilliam square; young, experienced, good washing.—C 326, this office. 4 D

KILLINEY—Lady requires Cook General, age 30 to 40; state salary expected, references.—C 332, this office.

SMART Cook General, experienced, for doctor's house, four in family; good wages. Apply Mrs. Burbidge, Brunswick House, Prestwich, Manchester. 8 5

WANTED, Cook General; good cook; small family; £28; housemaid kept; Monkstown vicinity. Send copies testimonials to C 59, this office. 1 D

WANTED, for N. Wales, Good Plain Cook and Houseparlourmaid; help given, two in family; two children during holidays; moderate sized convenient house, close rail and village; wages £30 (about). State age and send references to Mrs. Kingscote, Plas Newydd, Nr. Ruthin, Denbighshire. 3 D

WANTED immediately for small country town near London (fare paid), Cook General, £42-£50, and House Parlourmaid, £40-£45; willing undertake entire duties; must be experienced; 4 in family; nurse kept. Send references, Davis, Gwelon, Portmore Park, Weybridge. 4 E

WANTED for country place, near Dublin, Cook General and House Parlourmaid, with some experience. Reply, stating wages and enclosing copies, C 215, this office. 4 F

WANTED, young Cook General immediately; small washing; good wages; Ailesbury road.—984, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

WANTED, Cook General, age 22 to 30, in a good home (Irish house parlourmaid kept); good reference essential; good wages for reliable maid; fare paid if suitable after three months; no agencies. Write to Mrs. Woolf, 9 Dartmouth road, Brondesbury, London, N.W. 2.

WANTED, a good Cook; wages £75. Apply by letter, enclosing copies of references and state age, House Steward, Royal St. George Yacht Club, Kingstown. 4 D

GENERALS WANTED.

A GENERAL Servant Wanted, clean, willing Girl, one who would like to work in London; country girl; comfortable home, help given; no cooking. Apply in writing, Mr. N. Fox, 191 High road, Ilford, London. 1 D

AN experienced, capable General required; must be good plain cook and be well recommended; family three, no children. Write, or call with references, between 12 and 4 o'clock, to Mrs. Bradley, 50 Iona Crescent, Drumcondra. 3 E

ACTIVE young General Wanted, small family; some washing. Apply 31 Marlborough road, Donnybrook, between 3-4, 8-9 p.m.

EXPERIENCED young General Wanted immediately; good home, high wages, no cooking; family two, and one child.—Glickville, 59 Upper Kenilworth Park, Harold's Cross. 4 F

GENERAL Wanted (Protestant); young, willing; £20; Clontarf; well recommended.—B 1903, this office. 31 C

GENERALS Wanted; fare paid; £25; highest reference required.—Ward, Washway road, Sale, Manchester. 3 C

GENERAL Wanted; must have good references. Apply between 3 and 6 o'clock, 8 Kenilworth road, Rathgar. Maid kept. 3 E

GENERAL Wanted for London, age 18 to 23 years; good home for willing person; small family; nurse kept. Address "Z 3740, General," this office. 4 D

GENERAL Wanted, settled person, experienced; plain cooking, washing; family three; wages £30; good references essential; locality Foxrock. Address "Z 3881, General," this office. 4 F

REQUIRED, 11th November, good General, strong; family two, quiet place, near Rathmines; state age. B O 1268, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 31 C

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

HATS AND COMPLEXIONS.

THE choice of a hat is an all-important matter, and one which is fraught with unsuspected difficulties for the uninitiated. The hat that looks so desirable "off" so often proves a disappointment "on"—a fact that goes to prove that there must be just the right "blending" of hat and wearer.

However perfect the hat as regards shape, colour, and "make-up," unless it tones with the complexion and colouring of the wearer, it will be a certain failure.

As a general rule, it may be stated that the under-brim of a hat should always be of a darker shade than the eyes of the wearer, except in the case of very young folk. If a light hat is desired, the white one should be studiously avoided, except, again, for the youthful complexion.

The light hat for the blonde should be of the tone of the hair, and should, if the eyes are blue, have a blue lining.

For the brunette, the light hat should be lined with a tone corresponding to the colour of the eyes. The all-light hat tends to make the features recede and the face become nondescript.

Every woman's wardrobe should contain an all-black hat, built on the lines that will leave it undated for as long as possible. The black hat should be the "chef d'œuvre" of the woman's "hattery," and will prove equal to all emergencies. In the choosing of a black hat attention must be paid to the complexion and general colouring of the individual. The brunette should invest in a sharp, "clean" black tone, that will clear the complexion and avoid any suggestion of sallowness. For the blonde, the dull, "neutral" black is best, as it will heighten the delicate tints of her complexion and add brilliancy to her eyes. Where the wearer is neither blonde nor brunette, but medium, a small black hat looks well, trimmed with dull gold, silver, or black braiding, which will break the surface.

Certain shades of greys and fawns above blue eyes will enhance their colour, just as brown and its lighter shades emphasise the depths of brown eyes. The actual shade chosen depends greatly upon the complexion. The pale blue eye, in combination with the deep pink cheek, will take a sapphire blue above the eye, whereas the dark blue eye and the pale cheek require a delphinium blue.

If the hat is all light without an underlining, it must have a darker tone introduced in whatever trimming is used round the crown to accentuate the colour of the eyes. A paler colour above the eyes will detract from their colour and give the appearance of a washed-out complexion. Lack of observation of such details as these are a frequent cause of disappointment when the choice of a hat is made.

M. J.

MISTAKES IN NURSING.

TO minister to the sick is one of the noblest ambitions of the present age, as evidenced by the numbers of people who voluntarily devote themselves to such duties. To be a good nurse requires a rare combination of virtues—intelligence, physical strength, patience, a light hand and foot, and a kind disposition.

In nursing the sick quietude is a great thing; but real quietude means the absence of all excitement—speak in low tones, but do not whisper; a whisper will often awake a sleeper who would not be disturbed by ordinary conversation. Let your clothes and foot-covering be of as noiseless and unobtrusive a character as possible, and, instead of gliding and tottering about like a rickety ghost, do not hesitate to walk.

Never stand at the foot of the bed and look at the patient. While talking to him or her it is better to sit by the side of the bed and as near the pillow as possible, so that you may converse easily, while your face and body are turned in the same direction as his.

Some people have a great notion of "tempting the appetite" by the suggestion of all manner of eatables and drinkables, or by bringing them ready prepared to the bedside experimentally. This is a great mistake, especially in the earlier stages of an illness, for then all food is loathed alike, and the creation of an appetite is an impossibility. The only thing to be done is to impress on the invalid the necessity of taking what is ordered for him at stated times, just as he takes his medicine. Indeed, we may take it for granted that when he feels inclined for anything he will ask for it spontaneously, and the promptings of nature are more likely to lead him to a choice of what is best for him than any suggestion of a string of delicacies or flavourings that we can make.

Again, who has not heard in the sick room such annoying and tormenting questions as the following:—"Shall I raise your head a little?" "Will you have another pillow?" "Wouldn't you like your head a little higher?" "Will you have the blind up?" "What can I get for you—some arrowroot? Do try some!" "Will you have a cup of tea? I am sure it would do you good. A cup of tea won't take a minute," etc. The cup of tea has been a dreadful instrument of torture in the hands of well-meaning people who would not knowingly have teased a fly.

These, you will say, are small things. But a small thing in health is often magnified to a grave matter in sickness, and the sum-total of them all may be as serious as the disease itself. These few points upon which I have laid stress are such as are calculated to promote tranquillity of mind—which, indeed, is half the battle in medical treatment.

G. G.

FOR THE COOK.

CHELSEA TOFFEE.

Ingredients.—Quarter pound butter, two pounds granulated sugar, half teacupful water, one tin Swiss milk (sweetened), two or three drops carmine, vanilla.

Method.—Melt the butter in a saucepan, but without allowing it to brown. Add the sugar and water, and bring slowly to boiling point. Then pour in the Swiss milk, and stir constantly with a wooden spoon until the toffee reaches 255°F. when tested with a thermometer, or until it breaks crisp, when a little is dropped in cold water. When ready it will be a golden brown colour. Remove the saucepan from the fire, add vanilla to flavour, and the carmine. Then pour quickly into a flat tin that has been greased with salad oil. When set, mark in squares and cut in pieces when cold.

RASPBERRY JELLIES.

Ingredients. — One ounce powdered gelatine, one pound loaf sugar, half pint cold water, raspberry essence, a few drops carmine, icing sugar.

Method.—Put the gelatine, sugar, and water into a saucepan, and melt them slowly over the fire. Bring to the boil, and boil quickly for five minutes. Add raspberry flavouring to taste, and colour with a few drops of carmine. Strain through muslin, and pour on to wet plates or tins. The liquid should not be more than one inch in thickness. Place in a cool place to set, then cut in cubes, and roll in sieved icing sugar.

SURPRISE ORANGES.

Ingredients. — Six oranges, one quart jelly, carmine.

Method.—Cut a small round from each orange, remove the inside with as much of the white part as possible, put in water, colour half of the jelly red. Drain the oranges, half fill with the jelly; when set, fill up with the coloured jelly, and replace each round of orange. Serve in quarters in a glass dish; decorate with leaves.

PEACH TRIFLE.

Ingredients.—One sponge cake, one tin peaches, a few drops of lemon juice, two ounces macaroons, three gills cream, three teaspoonfuls castor sugar, one teaspoonful vanilla, one ounce almonds.

Method.—Cut the cake into slices, mix peach syrup and lemon juice, put cake into a glass dish, pouring a little syrup between each slice; dip the macaroons in syrup, and place round the dish. Whip the cream, and flavour with sugar and vanilla, put into a forcing bag and force all over the cake; place the peaches round the dish with a piece of almond in each.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED

LADY requires for small modern house, Galway, very superior and really competent General Servant; early riser and very good cooking essential; two in family; small washing; late dinner, excellent wages to really suitable person who is able to do entire housekeeping if required. Address "Z 3854, House," this office. 4 F

WANTED, General, small family; Protestant. Call 19 Morehampton road. 31 C

WANTED immediately for Maryborough, experienced General; must be good cook. Address "Z 3784, General," this office. 1 D

WANTED, General, two in family and baby.—79 Iona road, Glasnevin. 3 C

WOULD Lady recommend a good General? good cooking and cleanliness most essential.—C 188, this office. 3 O

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CHOICEST Fruit Trees, enormous stock, magnificent quality—Apples, Pears, Plums, Gooseberries, Currants, Loganberries, Raspberries. Catalogue free.—Dugan, Nurseries, Carlow. 31 O

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PIGS—30 extra good stores and some small ones.—Blackrock House, Blackrock. 1 D

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CLONLIFFE road, Drumcondra—House, decorated, vacant; spacious, 8 apartments; beside tram.—Hill's, Bachelor's Walk. 3 C

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APARTMENTS Agency—Lists on application; Flats, Board Residence, Furnished Apartments.—Miss White, 26 Nassau street. 7 T

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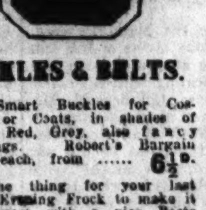
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A 60-TON WHALE ASHORE.

Whales are plentiful along the Oregon, U.S.A., coast. One of the largest ever seen there came ashore recently. It is not known how the whale met its death. It measures 60 feet 9 inches in length. This is the second whale that has come ashore near Newport in the past thirty days.

A commercial fish company is planning to store several tons of whale meat to feed young fry. The whale's estimated weight is 60 tons.

By the death of Mrs. Martin Warren, which took place last Monday at Lyndlinch Terrace, Eagle street, Norwich, the city loses its second centenarian within a week.

A MYSTERY PLANET.

Dr. Baade, of Hamburg Observatory, claims to have discovered a new planet, and Greenwich Observatory is trying to obtain further information about it.

"Owing to the cloudy conditions," said an official there, "we are not able to see the position of the supposed new planet clearly with our 3in. diameter telescopes. It is said to be near the constellation of Pegasus, and although we have not sufficient information to make an accurate estimate of its distance from the earth, we can make an approximate estimate of 30,000,000 miles.

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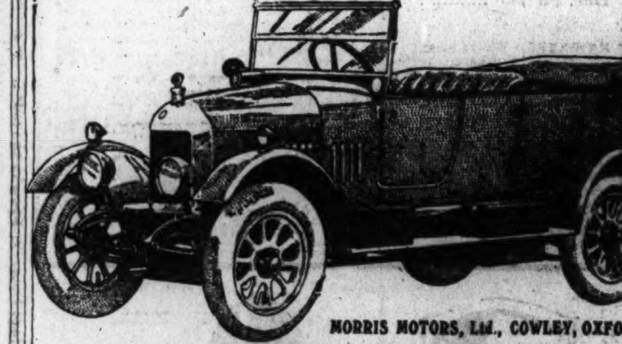
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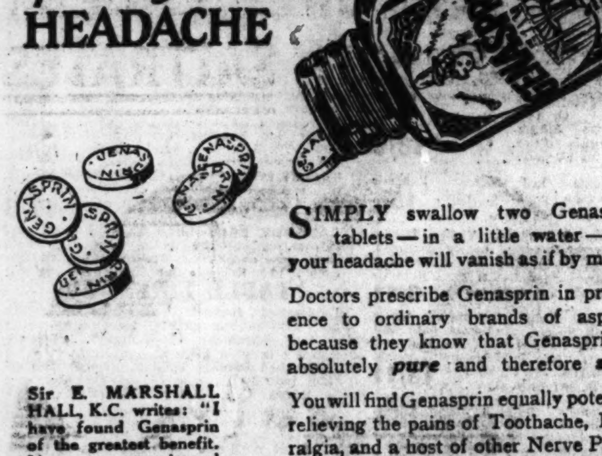
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FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, Nov. 5, 1924.

CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (the Supreme Court of Justice).—For to-morrow (Thursday), 6th November. Interlocutory Appeal.—M'Collum v. Tease. Final Appeal.—Workmen's Compensation Act—Arthur v. Proctor.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—Chief Justice's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock.—Lightfoot, minors. Before Dr. Webb, at 11.30 o'clock.—Frayne, minors (vouch account).

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court of Justice).—Court No. 1.—Before Mr. Justice Meredith, at 11 o'clock. Motion.—Keohane v. Caipan. Admiralty Case.—Paul Bros. v. New Ross Harbour Commissioners. Cases fixed for Hearing. Friday, 7th November. Action—Buckley v. Morrissey. Wednesday, 12th November. Action—Osborne v. M'Evoy.

IN COURT 2.—Before Mr. Justice Murnaghan (at conclusion of Exparte Motions). Action—Maher v. Maher. Adjourned into Court.—Co.'s Acts and James Scott and Co. Morris, decd. Brennan v. Murphy. Thursday, 6th November. Action—Rennison v. Clarke. Friday, 7th November. Action—Toole v. Toole. Wednesday, 12th November. Petition.—Co.'s Acts and City of Dublin Steampacket Co. (Hayes); Co.'s Acts and City of Dublin Steampacket Co. (Ringwood). In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Motions.

ADMIRALTY.—Before Mr. Justice Meredith. In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. For Hearing.—Paul Brothers v. New Ross Harbour Commissioners.

MICHAELMAS SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. City Special—Rountree v. Cuffe and anor. (assault), at hearing. The City Special Jurors sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend this morning at the Law Courts, the Castle, in Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. In Court No. 3, at 11 o'clock. City Common.—Oates v. Denigan (seduction); Reid v. Gormley (Michael) (slander); Reid v. Gormley (Patrick) (slander); Frances Jane Reid v. Gormley (Michael) (slander). A large attendance of City Common Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, the Castle, in Court No. 3 at 11 o'clock. Absent Jurors will be fined. The Unsworn City Special Jurors need not attend until to-morrow (Thursday), November 6th. For Thursday, 6th November. City Special—Ward v. Murray (defamation of character). City Common.—Goodfellow v. Foley and a counter-claim (possession). For Friday, 7th November. Non-Juries.—McNaughton and Son, Ltd., v. Legg Bros. (Dublin), Ltd., and a counter-claim (contract); Hogan v. Hogan (breach of contract); the Northern Banking Co., Ltd., v. Mangan and ors. (possession); Macauley and anor., trading as the Smithfield Wool Co., v. Horgen (breach of contract); Macauley and anor., trading as the Smithfield Wool Co., v. Henry (breach of contract); Burke v. Dunne and a counter-claim (wrongful seizure of motor car); Buggy v. Maher and ors. (possession). For Monday, 10th November. City Special—Daly v. the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union and ors. (libel); Parker v. Wexford Co. Council (personal injuries). City Common—Ormsby v. Cassidy and Co., Ltd. (conversion).

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice)—Dublin Circuit. In Court No. 5, the Castle, Dublin, at 11 o'clock. Equity Cases—David Leo Mooney, a minor; Margaret M. Knight, a minor; Mary E. Barry, a minor; David J. Garland, a minor; Charles R. Burrowes, a minor; Bridget Usell, a minor; Annie Farrell, a minor; John Christopher Vogel, a minor; Patrick Russell, a minor; Jacob Abrahams, a minor; Daniel D. Dunne; Michael Lacey, a minor; O'Connor, minors; Catherine Clinton, a minor; Peter Joseph Farrell, a minor; Mary Kehoe, a minor; Healy, minors; Christopher Byrne, a minor; Michael Loughlin, a minor; Elizabeth Bradley, a minor; Walsh, minors; M'Cormack, minors; James Fleming, a minor; Patrick Joseph O'Brien, a minor; M'Guigan, minors; Cunningham, minors; Hogan, minors; Halligan, minors; Geraghty, minors; Thomas Finlay, a minor; Mary Turner, a minor; Collins, minors; Donnelly, minors; Lennon, minors; Graham, minors; Ryan, minors; Moran, minors; Brett, minors; Murphy, minors; Pike, minors; Brennan, minors; O'Grady, minors; Byrne, minors; Silo, minors; Murray, minors; Keegan, minors; Hogan, minors; Brennan, minors; Levey, minors; Medley, minors; Gobbett, minors; Hanney, minors; James Chr. Mullaly, a minor; Fannin, minors; Connelly v. Fitzsimons; Byrne v. Jones; Fegan v. M'Cormack and ors.; O'Flaherty v. Nealy.

CHAMBERS No. 1 (Room 38).—Smyth v. Byrne; O'Sullivan v. Loughman. Co.'s Acts and Graigue Cullen Co-operative Society; Walsh v. Hennessy; Donovan v. M'Carthy; Sandys v. Lawlor; Kennedy v. Kennedy, 1916, 350. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk, at 11 o'clock—Murphy v. Byrne; Keaven v. Golden, vch.; Northern Banking Co. v. Stevens, vch. Mr. Dickson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock—W. P. O'Connor (E.C. 5571), settle schedule.

CHAMBERS No. 2 (Room 39).—At 11 o'clock—J. O. Molony, deceased, Molony v. Molony; Scott v. Scott; W. O'Connor, deceased, Deere v. O'Connor; Julia Nolan, decd., Waldron v. Dee; Bonniconlan Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd., G. T. Allen, decd., Heffernan v. Tierney; T. Mulcahy, decd., Mulcahy v. Mulcahy; Irish Boot Manufacturing Co. and John Malone, Ltd.; A. Farrelly, decd., Farrelly v. Farrelly; James Nolan, decd., Malone v. Nolan; Joseph J. Nolan, decd., O'Flaherty v. Nolan. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk. (Room 59). At 11 o'clock—James Nolan, decd., Malone v. Nolan; J. A. M'Connell, decd., Mitchell v. Jordan.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind (G.S.), W. L. Hodgins; Orpin v. M'Carthy, Molony and Son; Burke and Settled Land Acts, Read and M'Nab; Burke and Settled Land Acts, Lambert and Warren; Dublin Distillers Co., Ltd., to Dublin Corporation, D. and T. Fitzgerald; Collins v. Collins, H. Concannon. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Buckley v. Dowd, H. J. Marshall; Sim v. Petrie, D'Alton and Condell; M'Kittrick, decd., G. V. Maloney; Sheridan v. Sheridan, R. J. Archer; M'Carthy v. Nilan, H. J. Downey.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before Chief Clerk, at 11 o'clock—Stewart, reference, W. V. Seddall; arrangt., prove debts, Collins and Son; do., vch. ac., do.; Monahan, prove debts, Thompson and Edwards; Friery, ac. comp., Collins and Son; arrangt., settle title and condts., do.; Maunsell, prove debts, Hayes and Sons; do., ac. comp., do.; arrangt., do., T. J. Garham; do., do., Collins and Son; do., do., do.; do., vch. martge. ac., do.; Farrell, settle title and condts., Cussen and Kieran, arrangt., reference, J. Moran.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers. Before the Chief Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Hannah Tyndal Hope Swanton and another, vch. Before Mr. Jeffery White, at 3 o'clock—A. K. Luther and others (E.C. 8309), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Thomas Fegan (E.C. 8478), settle schedule. At 12.30 o'clock—Hannah O'Meara (E.C. 6628), vch. Before Mr. Longfield, at 11 o'clock—H. E. L. Smyth and another (E.C. 8360).

COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.—For Monday, 10th November. In the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 o'clock—Consideration of the Railways (Great Southern) Preliminary Amalgamation Scheme, 1924. For Thursday, 13th November—Consideration of the Great Southern Railway Preliminary Absorption Scheme, 1924, and the Great Southern Railway Preliminary Absorption Scheme (No. 2), 1924.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

The thirty-third Junior Ministers' Annual Convention commenced its proceedings in Carlow on Monday evening, and will continue its proceedings until Thursday evening. The Chairman is the Rev. R. J. Good, and the secretaries are the Rev. J. W. Norcott, of Drumshambo, and the Rev. Ernest Shaw, of Ballina. The Rev. S. T. Nelson, of Aughnacloy, is the treasurer. Papers will be read by the Rev. J. W. Norcott, the Rev. J. A. West, Belturbet; the Rev. E. Shaw, Ballina; the Rev. T. C. Elliott, Blacklion; and the Rev. C. W. Ranson, Whitehead. The convention sermon was preached by the Chairman, the Rev. R. J. Good, of Portadown. There was a good attendance.

Interesting functions have taken place at Kell and Fivemiletown. At the former the local preachers have presented Mr. Frank Cathers, one of their number, who is emigrating to Australia, with a copy of the Revised Version of the Bible, and at Fivemiletown Mr. Cathers was presented with a copy of Weymouth's New Testament.

YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

A MONAGHAN FARM.

CURIOUS CASE.

(Before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice O'Connor and Mr. Justice FitzGibbon.)

The arguments were resumed in the Supreme Court in the case of Keelan v. Garvey, in which a final appeal was brought by the plaintiff, Peter Keelan, dealer, of 55 Benburb street, Dublin, from a decision of the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland in the Chancery Division dismissing his action with reference to the possession and ownership of a farm of land situated in the townland of Corduff, Co. Monaghan, of which Catherine Keelan, his wife, now deceased, had possession as registered owner for a number of years while the plaintiff was away from the district. The defendant, James Garvey, merchant, Carrickmacross, was sued as executor of the late Mrs. Keelan (*née* War).

Mr. Overend, K.C., Mr. Wood, K.C., and Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Mr. F. M. Duffy) appeared for the appellant and plaintiff; and Mr. McCann, K.C., and Mr. Lavery (instructed by Mr. Patrick Marron) for the respondent and defendant.

In the action the plaintiff sought a declaration that he was beneficially entitled to the ownership of the farm, and that his deceased wife in his absence had purchased and registered the land from the owners of the Shirley estate, subject to equities merely, and as trustee for the plaintiff.

In the course of the arguments, which occupied two days, it was stated there was not fraud imputed to anyone, but merely mistake.

The plaintiff, it appeared, had succeeded to the possession of the farm under the will of his father, Patrick Keelan, and left the country in 1897; and it was suggested that, as the deceased wife had not heard anything about the plaintiff during his absence, she might have reasonably believed that he had died and that she was a widow.

Mr. Justice O'Connor said that the poor man stated he went away because he could get no peace or happiness at home. (Laughter.)

The Court reserved judgment.

CATTLE MARKET SCENE.

ACTION AGAINST SALESMEN.

(Before Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy.)

The hearing was commenced of the case of Roundtree v. Cuffe and Cuddy. The plaintiff, Isaac Roundtree, described as a farmer and cattle dealer, graduate in Law and Arts of the Dublin University, ex-Auditor of the College Historical Society, and a member of the Irish Bar, and whose address was given as Headford Hotel, Kells, sought £7,000 damages from John P. Cuffe, 252 North Circular road, Dublin, and John Cuddy, 48 Seville place, Dublin. Mr. Cuffe was described as an auctioneer and cattle salesman and chairman of the Irish Cattle Traders' and Stockowners' Association, and Mr. Cuddy was described as a cattle trader and salesman.

The cause of action was alleged assault by both defendants, forcible expulsion from the Dublin Cattle Market; that the defendants incited other people and combined with each other and with other people to assault plaintiff and drive him out of the Dublin Cattle Market and interfere with his business. The defendants denied all the allegations in the plaintiff's claim.

Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Denning, K.C., Mr. Swayne, K.C., and Mr. Kingsmill Moore (instructed by Messrs. Cochrane and Co.) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C., Mr. Lardner, K.C., and Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Mr. James Fagan) for the defendants.

Mr. Jellett, in stating the plaintiff's case, said that during the dockers' strike of July last year Mr. Cuffe and those associated with him made arrangements for dealing with the cattle trade. Some time before October 24 Mr. Roundtree had volunteered to assist them in loading cattle at the North Wall, but after reading a statement in the Press he did not consider it advisable to continue, as the strike was then over. On October 24 he went to the Dublin Cattle Market on business, and saw a body of men approaching him. At their head were the defendants. Things did not look pleasant, and when the men stopped he said: "Pass on. I will have nothing to do with it. What about a fortnight ago?" He went into the market, and suddenly found himself surrounded by these men. Mr. Cuffe asked him if he was buying cattle, and when he replied that he was the two defendants said, "You will buy none." The defendants also called him a coward. He was then tripped up, and when he got up someone kicked him. He said that there was no use in trying Larkin's tricks on him, and Mr. Cuffe drew a revolver and, pointing it at him, said: "Are you a supporter of James Larkin?" Mr. Roundtree replied that he was not. Mr. Cuffe then took him on one side and Mr. Cuddy on the other, and he was pushed along by the shoulders and kicked from behind. When they got out on the North Circular road he was allowed to go, and Mr. Cuffe shouted to him, "Don't come back here." He had a revolver in his hand at the time. Mr. Cuddy struck Mr. Roundtree with a stick, and another man flung a stick which hit him on the head. When he got to his lodgings a doctor had to be called.

The plaintiff was examined in support of counsel's statement, and said that he would not be able to carry on his business as in the past, and he had to abandon all dealing and commission buying. His income, which had been £1,200, would, he believed, now be cut down to £600.

Cross-examined by Serjeant Hanna, Mr. Roundtree said that he was not exaggerating the case in the least. He was not in the Cattle Market many times between May and October last year owing to the dock strike. On an average he was in the market every Thursday for nine months of the year.

You got into controversy with a crowd of men?—No. The others did nothing to me until Cuffe and Cuddy did.

You did not complain to the police that Cuffe had threatened you with a revolver in the abdomen and that he struck you?—No; I was not in a fit state to do it.

Did Cuffe help you to get up?—No.

If Cuffe swears that he saw you struck and knocked down, and that he and Cuddy ran forward to get you up, would it be untrue?—It would be an absolute falsehood.

Did you see Cuddy strike you?—I saw him take hold of me and help to put me out of the market.

Do you believe Cuddy kicked you?—I honestly believe it.

There is no doubt that Cuffe drew his revolver on you?—No.

I suggest you retaliated on the crowd, and that a little man struck you on the jaw and knocked you down?—No. Cuffe and Cuddy were the leaders in the whole thing. They led the men up to surround me.

Dr. L. Masterson stated, in reply to Mr. Jellett, that he was called to Mr. Roundtree on 25th October, 1923. He found him in a state of collapse. It was with difficulty he could hear his heart. When he saw him next morning at the hospital he was complaining of stiffness all over his body. On the back of his right leg there were extensive bruise marks, with blood underneath the skin. The witness also described other symptoms alleged to be due to plaintiff's ill-treatment at the Cattle Market.

To Mr. Lardner, witness said that he never saw Mr. Roundtree before this case.

Sir Conway Dwyer also gave evidence.

At this stage the Court rose until to-day.

FILM COMPANIES' DISPUTE.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnston.)

The hearing concluded of the case of the Irish Film Company v. the Irish Kinematograph Company, in which the plaintiffs sought to recover £1,189, of which they alleged £805 was received by the defendants for the plaintiffs' use, and £392 was for the hire of films let by the plaintiffs to the defendants.

The defendants denied that they received any part of the £805 mentioned or that they were indebted for £392, and they counter-claimed for £2,024.

Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. J. Kenny (instructed by Messrs. J. O'Connor and Co.) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Brown, K.C., Mr. Phelps and Mr. Newett (instructed by Messrs. Croskerry and Son) for the defendants.

Mr. Phelps, addressing his lordship on behalf of the defendant company, contended that there was part performance, that there was evidence of a contract, and that there was estoppel.

Mr. Dickie, replying for the plaintiff company, said that Mr. Brown had characterised this case as a most dishonest case. In the first place, in a case of this kind between two companies the Court had nothing to do with the merits. If the merits were gone into it would be found that these four gentlemen, who were brought into this company by Mr. Farrell, had lost at least £1,800, in addition to securing an overdraft; so that as far as merits were concerned the less said the better. He submitted that if there was a contract it must be in writing, but there was no writing; that the doctrine of part performance did not apply, as it only related to actions with reference to land, and could not be held to apply to this case, because any action that was to be taken was an action for damages, and, further, that the doctrine of estoppel did not apply.

Mr. Justice Johnston reserved judgment.

BREACH OF PROMISE ACTION.

£200 DAMAGES.

An action was heard in which Sarah Tully, a young domestic servant, whose father, a stationary engine driver, resides at 16 Upper Gloucester place, Dublin, sued Mental Woolfe, otherwise Mental Rosovonsky, of 34 Lower Clanbrassil street, Dublin, for damages for alleged breach of promise of marriage.

Mr. Martin Maguire (instructed by Mr. W. J. M. Coulter) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. James Henry (instructed by Mr. F. Loftus Brownrigg) for the defendant.

The plaintiff's case was that while she was a servant in the defendant's sister's house, where the defendant lodged, he made love to her and proposed marriage. He asked her father's consent, and the father consented if the defendant became a Catholic. She was seduced by the defendant, and when she informed him of her condition he said that his people would not allow him to marry a Christian.

The defendant said that he first met the plaintiff in October, 1921, when she came to his sister's house. Relations took place between them there, but there was no mention of marriage. He denied that he ever promised to marry the plaintiff, and he also denied that he ever asked her father to consent to the marriage. He told her father that if he were the father of the plaintiff's child he would pay for it. He never made love to the girl, and had no relations with her after May, 1923. He was not the father of her child.

The jury found that the defendant promised to marry the plaintiff, and that he refused to carry out his promise. They awarded the plaintiff £200 damages, and judgment was entered for the plaintiff, with costs.

ENFORCEMENT OF LAND ACT.

SHERIFF'S POWER TO SEIZE.

(Before Mr. Justice Murnaghan.)

In the case of Rosenberg v. Sherlock, Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly) applied on behalf of the plaintiff for an injunction restraining the defendant from seizing, taking in execution, or interfering with the goods and chattels of the plaintiff, who resides at 8 Victoria street, South Circular road, Dublin.

An application had been made before Mr. Justice Murnaghan last week for an interim injunction against the defendant, and it was refused. On the same day the Supreme Court granted an interim injunction, and ordered that notice should be served on the defendant for yesterday.

It appeared that a decree had been obtained at the Dail Eireann Court (Winding Up) Commission against Robert Rosenberg, who, in addition to his father and his mother, the plaintiff, live at 8 Victoria street. The defendant believed that under Section 13 of the Enforcement of Law (Occasional Powers) Act he had power to seize the goods which the plaintiff in the present proceedings claimed as her own, and it was contended on behalf of the plaintiff that the defendant could not do so, as in this case the debtor resided in the house of his parents, and not the parents in the house of the debtor.

His Lordship said that the words of the section were (1) any goods found in the house of the debtor; (2) any goods found in any place of residence of the debtor; and (3) any goods found on the lands of the debtor. He asked what order had the Supreme Court made.

Mr. Fallon (instructed by Mr. C. J. Murray), who appeared for the defendant, said that the reason that the defendant put in an appearance was because this matter was of very considerable importance to sub-sheriffs all over the Free State. They merely wanted an interpretation of that Section 13, because they were not sure until now—if they were sure now—what the interpretation was to be of the words of the section. If his lordship put the construction on them now that Mr. Nolan-Whelan contended they should bear, he was quite satisfied.

His Lordship—The position is that I put the other construction on it, but the Court of Appeal does not, and, of course, I must follow their decision.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan having intimated that he would discontinue the writ, and

Mr. Fallon giving an undertaking that he would take no further action,

Mr. Justice Murnaghan said that he would make no order.

Mr. Fallon—We may take it that we may proceed on the new construction?

Mr. Justice Murnaghan—I can say nothing further than this—that Mr. Nolan-Whelan has persuaded us that the Court of Appeal has given a certain construction. Unfortunately, the Court of Appeal has made no declaration: they have only given permission to serve notice of motion. I will make an order that the plaintiff discontinues her action against the sub-sheriff, and that the sub-sheriff undertakes not to levy execution.

BRAY MOTOR ACCIDENT.

ACTION AGAINST ARMY OFFICER.

In the case of Smith v. Conway, Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Mr. Delany) applied on behalf of the defendant to have the action remitted for trial before the Circuit Court Judge at Kildare. The plaintiff, William Smith, of 79 Mespil road, Dublin, described in the writ as an ex-lieutenant of the Army, claims damages against the defendant, James Conway, of Beresford Barracks, Curragh Camp, major, for personal injuries and damage to his motor bicycle by reason, as alleged, of the negligence of the defendant or his servants in the management and driving of a motor car. The defendant, in his affidavit, stated that he was driving his motor car on the Meath road, Bray, on the 30th June, 1923, when the plaintiff, riding on a motor bicycle, ran into his car. Defendant was in no way to blame for the occurrence, and had a good and valid defence to the action.

Mr. Joseph O'Connor, with whom was Mr. James Cawley (instructed by Mr. R. H. Commins), for the plaintiff, opposed the motion.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan said that in his opinion it was obvious that if the plaintiff obtained a verdict it would be a substantial one. He must refuse the application.

DUNDALK LICENSED PREMISES.

WOMAN DEFENDANT'S ATTITUDE

Before Mr. Justice Murnaghan, in the case of MacArdle, Moore and Co. v. Brennan, Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. Cox and Co.), on behalf of the plaintiffs, consented to the release from prison of the defendants, Joseph Brennan, formerly of 34 Park street, Dundalk, and Mary Brennan, who had been committed for contempt of Court in refusing to deliver up to the plaintiffs possession of the licensed house and premises, 34 Park street, Dundalk, pursuant to a judgment made in the action on the 24th January last, on the defendants giving an undertaking not to interfere with or trespass on the premises.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan made an order discharging the defendant, Joseph Brennan, who had signed the undertaking; but said that the defendant, Mary Brennan, who had refused to sign, would have to stay in jail until she became of a better state of mind.

CHURCH SERVICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 58 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

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CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

A FIGHT IN KERRY.

(Before Mr. Justice Sullivan.)

Yesterday's sitting of the Central Criminal Court was largely devoted to the investigation of a roadside fight near Ballybunion, Co. Kerry, as a result of which four young men of the farming class, named Patrick Sullivan, Stephen Sullivan, Michael Barry and John Breen, were charged with maliciously wounding Martin Griffin and Michael Griffin on Sunday, 29th July, 1923, at Doon.

Mr. W. Carrigan, K.C., and Mr. Dudley White, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted; and Mr. Cullinan (instructed by Mr. Marshall, Listowel, represented the prisoners.

Witnesses for the State and for the defence were then examined, and their evidence showed that there was a general *mêlee*. A turf bank was the cause of the quarrel.

The jury found Breen guilty of maliciously wounding under provocation, and the other prisoners not guilty. They were discharged, and Breen was put back for sentence.

CONVICTED PRISONERS.

Joseph McLoughlin, who was found guilty on Monday of armed robbery at Derrindangan Post Office, Co. Leitrim, was released on giving bail to be of good behaviour for a period of two years.

Thomas Roche, who had been found guilty of cattle stealing, and who had been thirteen months in prison awaiting trial, was also discharged, the cattle having been returned to the owner.

James Ryan, who was convicted of publishing obscene libels, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT.

RENT ACT CASES.

(Before Judge Dromgoole.)

Robert Norman Alexander sought to recover possession of two rooms and kitchinette in his residence, 34 Chelmsford road, let to the defendant, Mrs. Kate Jackson.

The plaintiff's case was that he required the accommodation for his own family. He also alleged that defendant was annoying himself and his wife.

The defendant denied this charge, and stated that she was unable to get other accommodation at present.

The case was dismissed.

Mr. W. J. Bradley, solicitor, was for plaintiff; and Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Mr. T. J. Green) appeared for defendant.

Mrs. Martha Hyland, 5 Percy place, sought to recover possession of the house and garden 3 Percy place and the surgery and workshop at the rear of 5 Percy place, held by the defendant, Mr. Donagh J. O'Brien, dentist.

Mr. J. M. McLoughlin, solicitor for the plaintiff, explained that the plaintiff's son, Charles Hyland, was a dentist residing at 3 Percy place, and for the purpose of his profession his mother (the plaintiff), who resided next door in No. 5, had broken a door through the wall of the return building from No. 3 into No. 5, and had given her son the use of this return room in No. 5. The original door to this room she had walled up, so that this room and a corresponding space below it had now become portion of No. 3. Mr. Charles Hyland was killed accidentally during the rebellion of 1916. In July of that year the defendant entered into possession of No. 3, and purchased the business and effects of the late Charles Hyland for £800. Under that agreement he could stay for one, four or seven years. His term had expired, but Mrs. Hyland was satisfied to take only that portion of the building which had originally belonged to No. 5; so that the houses 3 and 5 would be as they were before.

Mr. Martin Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Crowley and Bolger), for the defendant, said that he relied on Section 4 of the Rent Restrictions Act. He submitted that the letting was one and indivisible, under one take and one agreement.

The defendant stated that for the purposes of his family and business he required all the accommodation which he had.

Judge Dromgoole dismissed the case.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

PROBATION ORDER BROKEN.

(Before Mr. Cussen.)

Kathleen and Florrie Phulers, sisters, aged 17 and 18½, respectively, who were convicted recently of obtaining goods by false pretences, were charged with breaking a probation order made on September 19, ordering them to go to a home for a period of twelve months, and to be of good behaviour.

Mr. Cussen said that the girls had been given every chance, and he sentenced the girl Florrie to three months' imprisonment. He remanded the second girl for a week.

STORY OF A £5 NOTE.

James Quinn, aged 42 years, no fixed residence, was sent for trial to the Central Criminal Court charged with stealing a £5 note, the property of Messrs. T. Graves and Company, Henry street, Dublin. The accused man was employed by the firm as a sandwichman, and one day he was sent to get change of a £5 note. He did not return, and when arrested he told the police that he had put 10s. on a horse and had spent the rest of the money on drink.

SHOPLIFTING.

(Before Mr. Collins.)

Molly Kavanagh, aged 40 years, and Mary Smith, aged 36 years, were convicted on two charges of shoplifting. Mr. Scott, who defended, pleaded guilty on their behalf. Kavanagh was sent to prison for three months with hard labour, and Smith for one month, also with hard labour. Detective Sergeant Devaney and Policewoman Waters had charge of the case.

SHOT WHILE RUNNING AWAY.

LEGAL POINTS IN COMPENSATION CLAIM.

The Court of Appeal in Belfast yesterday delivered judgment in a case stated, of Patrick Grant and Bridget Grant, applicants and appellants, and the Armagh County Council, respondents. The applicants claimed £5,000 for the shooting of their son, Patrick, on June 21, 1922.

The applicants' case was that early on that morning a party of the Royal Ulster Constabulary came into the district to search for irregulars. Patrick was in an out-house getting ready to go to Newry Market. He was seen running from the outhouse, and the police called on him to halt. When he refused, a shot was fired over his head. As he continued to run, he was shot dead. While this was happening shots were fired at the police from the surrounding hills. The applicants contended that the order to fire and the shooting were illegal.

For the County Council it was contended that the police, seeing the man running away, were justified in thinking that the man was Charles Grant, the man that they wanted, and were justified in shooting him when he did not halt.

Mr. Justice Wilson, who heard the case, was of the opinion that the police officer, under the circumstances, was not justified in ordering the shooting, and that the policeman who actually fired the fatal shot was not justified in obeying the order and shooting the man, but he was further of the opinion that the order and the shooting did not make the whole body of police present an unlawful assembly, and the applicants had failed to prove that the shooting of Grant was a crime arising out of an unlawful assembly. In stating a case he left the following questions for the decision of the Court:—(1) Under the circumstances were the police justified in shooting Patrick Grant, junior? (2) If not, did the whole body of police, or any three of them, become an unlawful assembly?

The Lord Chief Justice said that the whole question was: did the whole body of police or only three of them constitute an unlawful assembly? He was disposed to find they did not. As to the learned Judge's first question as to the shooting of Patrick Grant, junior, the Court did not express any opinion. It was proved that, while the police were scattered, shot were fired upon them from the surrounding hills during Curfew hours. As to the second question the Court held that the police never became an unlawful assembly upon the evidence that had been produced.

Lord Justice Andrews concurred and the appeal was dismissed.

Mr. James Marmion, Carrickedmond, Co. Louth, who died on May 17 last, left £1,419.

It is not the pace that kills, it is the lack of pace in most lives.—Dr. Elizabeth Sloan Chesser.





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RECENT WILLS.

Mrs. Millicent Emily Salting, of 49 Berkeley square, W., who died on September 4 last, widow of Mr. William Severin Salting, left unsettled property in her own disposition of the gross value of £1,868,184, with net personalty of £1,790,332 5s. 7d. The duties on the property at this valuation will amount to over £670,000. Mr. Salting died in 1905, leaving property valued for probate at £991,324, and his brother Mr. George Salting, the well-known art expert, died in 1909, leaving property originally valued at £1,332,049, which was later re-sworn at £1,348,083, the bulk of which passed to Lady Binning, the only child of Mrs. Salting. The late Mrs. Salting makes the following bequests:—£2,000 to the Middlesex Hospital; £2,000 to St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington; £2,000 to the Cancer Hospital, Fulham road, S.W.; £1,000 to the Brompton Hospital for Consumption; £1,000 to the King's College Hospital; £500 to the Salvation Army; £500 to the Church Army; £500 to the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and £100 to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. There are a number of substantial bequests to servants, and the testatrix states that she makes no other provision for her daughter, Lady Binning (other than bequests of jewellery and furniture), not from want of affection, but because she is already amply provided for, and if she makes any further provision for her it will be quite superfluous, and only tend to increase her responsibilities.

Mrs. Annie Margaret Christina Dalyell, of 11 Stanhope Gardens, South Kensington, widow of Mr. Ralph Dalyell, C.B., formerly of Lingo, near St. Andrews, Fife, and Ticknevin, County Kildare, who died on August 25, aged 79 years, left £8,795.

The Rt. Hon. Frances Isabella Countess Dowager of Donoughmore, of Kilmanahan Castle, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, and of 3 Buckingham Gate, S.W. and of Sidmouth, Devon, who died at Sidmouth on April 27 last, widow of the fifth Earl, and daughter of the late General Stephens, of the East India Company's Service, left unsettled property in her own disposition of the gross value of £3,196, with net personalty £1,921 12s.

Mr. David Ogden, of 56 Upper Leeson street, Dublin, left estate of the gross value of £6,633. The bequests include: £200 to the Masonic Orphan Boys' School, to be applied in premiums or prizes, to be called the "Ogden Memorial Prizes," for proficiency in letter-writing and composition; £200 to the Masonic Orphan Girls' School.

Sir William Maddock Bayliss, of St. Cuthbert's, West Heath road, Hampstead, London, N.W., the famous physiologist and philosopher, Professor of General Physiology in the University of London, President of the Physiological Section of the British Association in 1915, and part Editor of the *Biochemical Journal*, the writer of a number of works, including "Principles of General Physiology" and the "Nature of Ensyme Actiob," who died on August 27 last, aged 59 years, left estate of the gross value of £102,387, with net personalty £86,274.

The Hon. Robert Lawley, of St. James' Club, Piccadilly, W., who died on September 18 last, aged 61 years, son of the second Baron Wenlock, left estate of the value of £20,388.

Mr. John Henry Oglander, J.P., D.L., of Nunwell, Brading, Isle of Wight, head of the oldest family in the island, who died on April 16, in his 77th year, left estate of the gross value of £89,338, with net personalty £18,748.

Mrs. Mary Josephine Hearn, Waterloo, Temple Gardens, Rathmines, who died on August 31 last, left £6,294 2s. 11d.

Mr. Charles Henry Hone, Tigh Lorcain Hall, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin, who died on May 13 last at Morehampton road, Dublin, left estate valued at £5,689.

Mr. Thomas Smith, Greenfields, Swords, Co. Dublin, who died on August 8 last, left estate valued at £3,323.

Mr. Thomas Kennedy, Kenilworth square, Rathgar, who died on August 15 last, left £6,396 14s.

Mr. Patrick Arthur Hamilton Reid, Holmston, Kingstown, who died on March 12 last, left £22,916.

OLYMPIA THEATRE.

The second edition of John MacDonagh's revue, entitled "All the Best," is receiving a very good reception at the Olympia Theatre, Dublin, this week. It is full of humour, and the audiences laugh heartily at many of the scenes, especially that which settles "the boundary" crux. The music is very good and the choruses lively. Nellie Cameron and the Lennox Girls provide plenty of song and dances; and Eily Murnaghan and William Lemass are appreciated particularly when they appear as The Singers in "A Day in Mexico." Jimmy O'Dea maintains his popularity as a comedian, and Dick Smith is also a success in his various *roles*. Pol O Fearghail is perhaps best in "Prohibition." Parts are ably filled in addition by William Lemass, Jack Dwan, Sheila O'Sullivan, and Moll MacDonagh. A selection of Irish airs played by the orchestra during the performances are an enjoyable part of the programme.

BELFAST HARBOUR.

IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENTS.

At the bi-monthly meeting of the Belfast Harbour Board, Mr. James M'Connell, J.P., seconded the adoption of the minutes of the Works Committee. He said that some important matters were referred to in the minutes. It was recommended to accept an offer of Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co., Ltd., to supply two new steel barges, as required by the engineer. These were to replace the small timber scows at present used in disposing of spoil raised by the Commissioners' grab-diggers when dredging. A very important thing was that, instead of carrying the spoil out to sea, they were making new ground, which they were able to let nearly as fast as they could make it. They were very glad that Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co. were able to take the contract.

Then they were inviting tenders for the erection of a shed on the east quay of Dufferin Dock. This, when erected, would practically complete the alterations and improvements on that part of the estate, and would greatly increase the accommodation for the requirements of steamers coming to the port.

MASTER PRINTERS' ASSOCIATION.

A joint meeting of the Dublin Master Printers' Association and the Irish Master Printers' Association, which comprises all the provincial employers in the printing industry, was held yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce, Dublin, under the presidency of Mr. I. Easton, to meet Mr. W. B. Wykes, President, and Mr. A. E. Goodwin, Secretary of the Federation of Master Printers of Great Britain and Ireland.

After a discussion of many topics of current interest, including labour problems and a scheme for collective advertising for printing, it was decided that arrangements be made for a joint committee to be set up representative of the two Associations to confer on all matters of common interest.

At Jury's Hotel, Dublin, last night, the Associations entertained at dinner Messrs. Wykes and Goodwin.

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FUNERAL OF MR. SAMUEL SHANNON.

The remains of Mr. Samuel Shannon were removed from his residence, 1 Claremount terrace, Meath road, Bray, yesterday, for interment in Enniskerry Cemetery. Mr. Shannon was late chief engineer to the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway Company for a number of years. The funeral Service and committal portion were conducted by the Rev. Dr. McKee.

The chief mourners were:—Cecil Shannon Bell and Thomas Neville (nephews), and Alexander Bell (brother-in-law).

The general public included:—E. Pim, F. C. Hanson, M.D.; W. Taylor, M.D.; D. J. Rountree, M.D.; H. Waverly, M.D.; C. Eccles, M.D.; G. Eccles, jun.; E. Swayne, W. Toomey, G. Porter, E. Keogh, E. Warren, Brew-Mulholland, C. Price, E. Howe, G. S. Robson, A. Hope, G. Archer and E. Radcliffe (representing Dublin and S.E. Railway Co.); J. Parmenter, E. Moriarty, R. S. Egar, D. C. Macnin, A. T. Newsome, H. Killingley, D. McDonagh, Captain G. Pepper, W. Atkinson, V. Allan, Captain D. Parkinson, Captain W. L. A. Goulding, J. J. L. Murphy, S. H. Waterhouse, M.D.; J. F. Anderson, J. W. Milne, J. Pough, W. H. Davis, A. Bowie, Joseph Milne, J. McGarry, E. Byrne, Edward C. Harte.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr. T. M. Collier, of Miller and Co., undertakers, Bray.

In business theory and practice do not always harmonise.—Mr. H. A. Barrett.

ABOLITION OF RURAL COUNCILS.

DAIL DECIDES THAT THEY SERVE NO USEFUL PURPOSE.

COUNTY COUNCIL AS LOCAL AUTHORITY.

In the Dail yesterday the Labour Party moved the deletion of the clause in the Local Government Bill which provides for the abolition of Rural District Councils.

The Government, it was stated, expects that when the County Council is the unit of local authority the administration will be not only more efficient, but much less costly.

QUESTIONS.

CLAIMS FOR PERSONAL INJURIES.

The Speaker took the chair at 3.12.

Answering Mr. P. Hogan (Clare), Mr. Blythe (Minister for Finance) said that claims for personal injuries were considered by the Compensation Committee in accordance with the terms of reference, after evidence, medical and otherwise, had been submitted. The forms were drawn up specially to give applicants every opportunity of fully presenting their cases on paper.

Major Bryan Cooper said that there was a widespread feeling of dissatisfaction among people whose claims were adjudicated upon without their being heard. Would the Minister consider the desirability of giving an applicant, where he wished, the right to appear before the Committee, even if he had to do so at his own expense?

Mr. Blythe said that he did not think that he could undertake that, but an applicant in addition to asking to be heard, might state some reason why he should be heard.

DRAINAGE SCHEMES.

Replying to Mr. Baxter, Mr. Blythe said that the question of the best way in which schemes of drainage in the Saorstat might be initiated and executed was under discussion between the departments concerned, and it was hoped that the proposals would be completed at an early date. A bill in connection with the matter would be pressed forward when ready. The value of drainage as a method of relieving unemployment was fully recognised.

Mr. Baxter—Am I to understand that the bill may be under consideration until next summer? Does the Minister think that it may be passed before Christmas?

Mr. Blythe said that he did not think that the bill could be passed before Christmas. He would not like to give an approximate date, but the bill should be introduced long before the summer.

ARMY PENSIONS.

President Cosgrave, answering Mr. P. S. Doyle, said that there was no official information of the fact that any person was canvassing ex-Army men to submit claims under the Military Service Pensions Act, 1924. No person had been officially appointed to do any such thing, and anybody claiming to act in that capacity had certainly no authority to do so. The prescribed forms on which claims were to be made were issued only to individual applicants, and no official recognition of any kind would eb given to any persons seeking to act in the capacity of agent for applicants.

LAND BONDS.

Answering Mr. P. Baxter, the Minister for Lands and Agriculture said that no "flotation" of stock was contemplated by the Land Act of 1923, which enacted that £1,p.c Land Bonds were to be created by the Minister for Finance and issued by the Land Commission for the purpose of the Act. The Minister for Finance had already created £400,000 of those bonds, and the Land Commission had already issued bonds against this credit in the case of eleven estates. Further issues of bonds would be made by the Land Commission from week to week in respect of estates which had reached that stage.

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Answering Mr. Johnson, Dr. E. MacNeill, Minister for Education, said that it had recently been decided to pay teachers monthly instead of quarterly. He was informed that further amelioration by way of increase in the amount of the pensions, could not be considered at present, in view of the very heavy superannuation and pensions charges entailed on the Exchequer by recent legislation.

FINANCIAL RESOLUTIONS.

On the motion of the Minister for Finance, resolutions were passed authorising the payment out of monies provided by the Oireachtas of Commissioners appointed to hear appeals from Recorders and County Court Judges that were pending when Part II. of the Courts of Justice Act came into operation; and authorising the payment of grants, not exceeding £300,000, to local authorities in connection with the new Housing Bill.

HOUSING BILL.

The Committee stage of the Housing (Building Facilities) (Amendment) Bill, 1924, was considered.

Mr. A. Byrne inquired if under Section III. local authorities had power to step in and build on derelict sites in the City of Dublin. If power were not given, would the Minister consider the granting of such power? The city was dotted all over with derelict sites, and it would be a great matter if local councils could clear those sites and build houses on them.

The Minister for Finance said that that was not one of the purposes of the amendment bill.

Section III. was allowed stand part of the bill.

Mr. Good asked for information with regard to Section V. He wanted to know what was the policy of the department as to the floor space and size of the 1,300 houses that had been started under the bill.

The Minister for Local Government said that he was not in a position to give the information. The policy of the Dail was to provide houses for the working classes consisting of not more than five and not less than three rooms. The Sub-Section did not interfere with the general provisions of the bill, and only applied to those cases where houses were built by individuals six months before the Act was passed. Some were built a little over the margin, and it was considered only right to include them in the bill.

Mr. Johnson asked why the period was confined to six months before the passing of the Act. It was said that those houses were built in anticipation of the subsidy, and to him it did not seem a satisfactory proceeding at all. What did the term "begun" mean—did it mean when the plans were sanctioned?

The Minister for Local Government said that the section was put in at the request of deputies, including those on the Labour benches. He was not at all enthusiastic about the section and would leave it to the House.

SUB-LETTING.

Mr. Good said that if the Minister had the information on the report stage, it would be very useful. He desired to raise the point of sub-letting. Tenants who could not get a three-roomed house rushed at a five-roomed house, and then after a few weeks they felt the strain on their financial resources. They were compelled, as a result, to let rooms in the house. His attention had been drawn to a case where the tenant found sub-letting so remunerative that he left the house, sub-let the rooms, and gave up his ordinary employment. That was very undesirable and ought to be counteracted. It was of importance to know the policy of the Department on the matter, so that they could discuss it on the report stage. He would also like to know the number of three, four and five-roomed houses that were at present in progress.

Mr. Hewat said that unless there was some good reason the provision should not be extended at the present stage, and certainly the Minister made out no case for it.

Mr. Baxter said that in the rural districts a number of people had set about building houses and did not know anything of the subsidy. They had a greater floor space than was provided for in the Act and were entitled to the grant. To remedy the matter the Minister had introduced the amendment bill.

The bill was passed through the Committee stage, and the report stage was fixed for Friday next.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.

The Committee stage of the Local Government Bill, 1924, was then taken.

On the motion "That Section 2 stands part of the bill," Mr. Burke said that under the section a Commission had been set up to inquire into the system of local government in Dublin County and County Borough, and it was decided that nothing in the bill would interfere with the findings of the Commission. Accordingly, they excluded the sections of the bill from operating in the Dublin area.

Major Bryan Cooper asked if that would cause a postponement of Dublin elections.

Mr. Johnson pointed out what he regarded as the inconsistency of postponing the application of the Act pending the findings of a Commission in Dublin and passing the Act for the other parts of the country, and then setting up a committee of inquiry as to what sort of legislation was required. He hoped that the Minister would explain that inconsistency.

Mr. Burke reminded Mr. Johnson that the situation in Dublin was different to that in any other part of Ireland. The special difficulties affecting that area had never been considered by a Commission before, and it was very desirable that a Commission should consider the peculiar circumstances relating to Dublin before applying the provisions of the bill. With regard to Deputy Cooper's question, he was afraid that he could not satisfy him on his point about postponing the Dublin elections. If they were to have the best possible system of local government for Dublin County and City they would have to take time and trouble to find out what kind of measures were most suitable for that area.

They had to choose between two evils. It was much better to allow the elections to be postponed until the Commission brought in its report than not to go ahead with the Commission at all.

Section 2 then stood part of the bill.

DISTRICT COUNCILS.

Mr. Corish moved the deletion of Section 3, which abolishes Rural District Councils and transfers of their duties to the County Councils. He said that the Minister had not convinced anybody that there was necessity for the abolition of Rural Councils, and the transfer of their duties. The present County Councils found it absolutely impossible to carry out the duties imposed upon them, and it was not fair to cast more work on them. It was absolutely necessary that the District Councils should be left as they were. Their members were in direct touch with the opinions of the people.

It was all the more necessary to retain the Councils, seeing that the Boards of Guardians had been scrapped. The poor were not receiving the attention which they got under the old Boards of Guardians. He did not agree that the Boards of Guardians ought to be abolished. The proposal ought to be postponed until the Councils had an opportunity of functioning under normal conditions. The Minister was taking a step that would get the County Councils into such a mess that he would be justified in appointing paid Commissioners for every county in the Free State.

Mr. Lyons supported the amendment.

Mr. John Daly said that he favoured the retention of the District Councils. He agreed with the suggestion that the matter should be adjourned, and thus give a proper trial to those who would administer the affairs during the coming three years, now that they were going to have a fair election. In 1899 the Irish people were considered fit for local government, and now they were told by a Government that they were not able to govern.

"The County Councils," said Mr. Daly, "will be the next to be abolished, and in due time you will have this House abolished." (Hear, hear.) He suggested that instead of abolishing the Rural Councils they should amalgamate them. It was a terrible thing to put the guillotine down on the first instalment of self-government that the country got from the British Government.

REVOLUTIONARY.

Mr. Morrissey characterised the bill as a revolutionary measure, and said that he did not know what the Government hoped to achieve by it. His opinion was that they wanted the representatives of the people to do the work of the district.

Mr. Hewat said that the organisation of counties as separate units appeared to him a reasonable reform of administration, as it would lead to economic and more efficient working. He thought that the time had arrived when the functions of Rural District Councils would be better performed by a central body formed by the County Council.

Sir James Craig said that he had no feeling whatever against the Rural Councils, but he had always felt that the sanitary laws should be co-ordinated in a county unit. The County Council could pass on the sanitary work to the Board of Health, and the Minister had given power in the bill to the Boards of Health to appoint local Committees, which would be selected, not only from the Boards of Health, but from people who were interested in sanitation. He did not know, but he had been told that the District Councils were expensive ornaments, and if that were true it was better to abolish them, and the county unity should be maintained.

Mr. Johnson asked whether it was not customary to state the reasons why the law should be changed. They had heard no reasons, and the onus of proving the necessity lay upon the Minister.

Major Bryan Cooper said that if Deputy Johnson's party, instead of putting down an amendment to delete the section proposed that the clause should not stand part of the bill then they would have the right to get the reasons. The amendment gave the Minister the opportunity of waiting on the defence until he chose to speak.

MINISTER FOR FINANCE.

The Minister for Finance said that for three or four years he attended meetings of Rural Councils and Boards of Guardians, and his experience was that the Board of Guardians met every week for something like three hours, while Rural Councils met once a fortnight for half-an-hour, and did not always meet even once a fortnight. They met for a short time to dispose of relatively minor matters. The County Councils dealt with road work, which was very much duplicated. These Rural Councils had, in fact, very little work to do—so little that they spent a good deal of their time passing resolutions about everything—from the actions of the French and British Governments to the Saorstat Government—instead of attending to the work for which they were elected.

Mr. Johnson—The County Councils do not do that?

Mr. Blythe—We are told that the County Councils had a great deal of business to do and nobody can blame the Rural Councils.

Mr. Johnson—You were very often glad to have those resolutions.

Mr. Blythe said that there was no reason why the Rural Councils should be continued. There was no body of opinion in the country against the abolition. The only opposition to it came from the councils and their officials. There was no foundation for the talk that it was a retrograde and undemocratic step, because the County Councils were a democratically elected body. The question that the proposal would mean congestion of County Council business would be answered by reconstruction of the procedure. He believed that the work of the County Councils could be managed more efficiently than at present if smaller numbers of the members were delegated to consider different matters and make definite proposals in advance.

SOME REFORM NEEDED.

Mr. Baxter (Farmers) said that he would not be prepared to support Deputy Corish's amendment if it was understood that the District Councils were to continue to function as at present. He believed, however, that the District Councils should be retained, and the work so arranged as to make their administration a success. If the administration of home help, public health and the roads were centralised, the people generally would lose all interest in local government. To do the work of the country properly under the proposed system there would be required men of more than average ability prepared to give half their time to it. The new County Councils would be composed of men of the calibre of the present District Councils, and if the latter failed, it could not be expected that those taking their places will succeed.

The abolition would not mean a saving in the cost of officials, because new positions would have to be created and the present district officials pensioned.

In general, the existing County Councils were carrying out the work of the main roads very badly, and the district roads were receiving little or no attention. With the abolition of the District Councils, the latter class of road would receive no attention at all. What was formerly known as outdoor relief was becoming a very serious charge on the ratepayers, largely, he believed, because there was no longer the local supervision that there used to be. The retention of District Councils and their officials if only to supervise the home help would be money well spent. He believed that there would be more efficiency secured if the Government reconsidered the position of the District Councils and allocated to them work they are capable of performing well.

POLITICAL WORK.

Mr. Colohan (Labour) said that since they were set up in 1899 the District Councils had been praised continually for the work they had done, and it came very ill from the Government to twit the Councils which since 1920 did the work that set up the present Parliament. He would like to ask the Government what body of opinion was behind them in the abolition of the Councils, where it was hatched, what mandate had they for doing away with the elected representatives of the people. It was a retrograde step for any Irish Government to take without consultation with the people. If the work of the new County Councils was to be carried out like that of the County Boards of Health then it was time to call "halt." What they now sought to do was the final step to turn the people against the Government.

Major Cooper said that he could not but be impressed by the amount of lamentation from the Labour and the Farmers' benches at the proposed extinction of an entirely English institution, for the District Councils were set up on the model of the English Councils.

Mr. Corish—That is very cheap.

Major Cooper—I am afraid that if Brian Boru or Owen Roe came back, while they would understand an Irish Army and an Irish taxpayer, they would wonder what on earth is an Irish Rural District Council.

A Labour Deputy—Would they know if they came in here what an Irish Parliament is?

Major Cooper—They might not recognise the place, but they would recognise that they were in an assembly of the wisest of the land. (Laughter.)

Continuing, he said that if the Rural Councils were not a success in the past it was because they did not attract the people who could afford the time for, and give the necessary study to, the work. It was now apparently laid down that because there could not be got a small number of suitable men for the County Councils they should continue the work of the country by a large number of unsuitable men. If they were not to face problems because vested interests might be affected, because men in jobs were to be left there to the end of their days, then there would be no progress—nothing would ever be done. The general trend of opinion was that the administration of the roads should be centralised. He was afraid that outdoor relief sometimes went by canvassing, and he was convinced that those two services, specially mentioned by Deputy Baxter, could be better carried out by sub-committees of the County Council. They were told that if the Rural Councils were abolished and their powers handed over to a central body the people would lose all interest in public business. The same argument might be used with regard to the Dail, but they all knew that their constituents took an interest in public affairs. It could not be said that interest in the work of the present District Councils was violently impassioned.

CENTRALISATION.

The Minister for Local Government said that the abolition—or rather the amalgamation—of District Councils was the result, and would be the result, of the centralisation of various functions with the County Councils, functions which everyone who considered the question deeply believed could be better performed by one centralised authority than by a number of authorities that could not give them the same specialised attention. The present bill was to a large extent consequential on the centralisation of the duties of the Boards of Guardians with the County Boards of Health. They were now in the position that men elected to perform certain duties, and officials paid to carry them out, were doing about one-fifth of their original work, of which four-fifths was concentrated in a central authority. The result was a chopping of every point, uneconomic and unsound.

Mr. Corish asked the Minister to indicate the proportion of the salary of a clerk to a District Council paid him by that body and that paid by the Board of Guardians.

The Minister replied that he could not answer the question off-hand.

Mr. Corish—Is not it right to say that the greater proportion of the clerk's salary came from the District Council, which shows conclusively that his principal duties were those of the District Council?

The Minister said that it was quite the other way about. He went on to point out that in the bill it was proposed to abolish the office of Medical Officer of Health in the rural sanitary district, and to concentrate all the duties of such officers in a whole-time medical officer for the county, a person with high qualifications and experience in matters of public health, who would be able to carry out the duties more efficiently and more economically. It was in practice very difficult to differentiate between public health duties of a preventative, and those of a curative, nature, and it would be ridiculous to have a county medical officer looking after one of those sets of functions and various non-descript local authorities looking after the other.

ECONOMY.

The unification of services would do away with a great deal of expense. It would enable whole-time officers to be appointed, thereby increasing efficiency, and ensuring the performance of duties with greater economy. If the health of the country was to be properly looked after and food was to be produced in a manner that would enable them to compete with the products of other countries, it would be necessary to have a proper system of inspection and good sanitation.

He could not see any foundation for the charge that the proposal was undemocratic. County Councils were elected on the same principle as Rural District Councils. The present Rural District Council, as constituted, was not by any means an ideal instrument for representing the views of the people of the locality. It was elected from purely a haphazard area—constituted by chance. Rural District Councils had developed out of the original unions, and came into existence in 1898. The bill would take a large amount of road work off the County Councils, and would also relieve the County Surveyor of the responsibility of going to Rural Council meetings when road matters were being considered.

Mr. Conor Hogan said that he thought that the District Councils had done good work and that there was no reason for their abolition.

Mr. Johnson said that the Councils were now elected for their original purpose—they were elected to smash the local government machine as administered by the British authorities, which they did effectively. He submitted that the argument in favour of the section had not been sustained. The section removed from the people in rural areas any control over matters affecting local government. It deprived the people of any continuous interest in local affairs and it was the antithesis of democracy. That was the tendency of the bill in many of its sections. There was no provision made for the appointment of committees by County Councils with the exception of Health Committees and the appointment of these was even optional with the County Council.

URBAN COUNCILS.

Under Section 61 the Minister took power to abolish urban district councils and merge them into the rural area or county council. Thus they would remove local control, and centralise it in the county council, and the result would be a conflict right through the country between the areas administered and the county council authority. He asked the Minister to alter the bill, and to create a new local authority which would deal with purely local affairs, and to make a real local authority of it.

Mr. Hewat said that one of the greatest absurdities and greatest weaknesses of the present form of local administration was that the local bodies were authorised to demand rates which they did not collect.

Mr. Gorey said that the district councils made their estimates and sent them on to the county councils. Under the bill that power would be delegated to the sub-committees nominated by the county councils, and not, like the district councils, elected by the ratepayers. Some of those committees might not even be members of the county council. He quite agreed that there was no more use for the district councils in their present form, but he asked the Minister to recast the clause so as to retain those councils in a form that would fit them in with the administration locally of public health, home help, and similar matters.

Mr. P. Hogan (Labour) said that most of the arguments for abolition were based on theory. His experience on one of the new Boards of Health did not lead him to think that all the public work would be better done by a county council already glutted with business.

Mr. Lyons (Independent) argued that the amalgamation of unions had increased the cost of local administration by thousands of pounds. The scheme had converted what was supposed to be a land of saints and scholars into a nation of pensioners.

Mr. Heffernan said that he was against the section. He was not in favour of the amendment as it stood, because he thought that the deletion of the section and the continuance of the district councils, as they had existed, would be no use. He thought that district councils should be retained, but that the duties should be readjusted.

Mr. Hughes said that he had been listening for four hours trying to find out what was to be said in favour of the amendment, and he was not impressed by the arguments.

THE DIVISION.

On a poll there voted:—Against the amendment—Deputies Alton, Blythe, Walsh, Burke, Cole, Cooper, Craig, Mrs. O'Driscoll, Egan, Fitzgerald, Good, Hennigan, Hewat, McBride, W. W. Cosgrave, MacGilligan, Nicholls, Sears, Magennis, Hughes, Hennessy, C. Byrne, Broderick, R. O'Connell, O'Connor, Connolly, Doherty, Dolan, Duggan, Lavan, Leddin, Lynch, O'Maille, Mulcahy, Vaughan, P. Hogan (Galway), P. Hogan (Limerick), O'Sullivan, O'Higgins, Prior, Thrift—41.

For the amendment—Deputies Baxter, Butler, Daly, Conor Hogan, J. Cosgrave, Johnson, Corish, Claney, Nagle, T. J. O'Connell, Colohan, Davin, E. Doyle, Dimmon, Gorey, Heffernan, Lyons, Morrissey, T. P. Murphy, P. Hogan (Clare)—20.

The amendment was therefore defeated by 41 votes to 20, and progress was reported.

PORT OF DUBLIN.

On the motion for the adjournment,

Mr. Johnson called attention to the unfinished improvement works in the port of Dublin, and suggested that if the Minister for Trade and Commerce extended assistance under the Trade Loans Facilities Act very considerable work could be given and unemployment relieved.

Mr. Hewat, supporting Deputy Johnson, said that the Port and Docks Board were in the position of giving the utmost value for any money received. If the Trade Loans Facilities Act were extended to the Port and Docks Board—not as a gift, but as a loan—it would be useful in the way stated by Deputy Johnson, and he thought the Board would welcome it.

The Minister for Industry and Commerce said that he had issued advertisements calling attention to the provisions of the Trade Loans Facilities Act, and applications, no matter how novel, would be entertained. He did not think that it lay on him to go to the Port and Docks Board to ask them to submit an application. Deputy Hewat had indicated that he would be willing to accept the money, and if the Board were willing to make application it would receive most sympathetic consideration.

Mr. Hewat said that he would bring the matter before the Board, and he did not think that there would be any hesitancy on its part to make the application.

The House adjourned at 8.35 till three o'clock this afternoon.

IRISH CULTURE.

ITS DEPENDENCE ON LANGUAGE.

At the opening meeting of the session of the College Gaelic Society, in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin, yesterday, the Auditor, Mr. C. D. MacCarthy Willis, delivered an address on "The Continuity of Irish Culture."

Professor Alfred O'Rahilly, President of the Society, occupied the chair.

Mr. MacCarthy Willis, in his paper, stated that the culture of a nation depended on three things—race, geographical position, and means of livelihood. Having glanced at the early history of Ireland, he went on to say that Ireland had at all times been proud of her language, and had sought to cultivate it. The ancient Irish Church was truly national, for the monks of that period spoke Irish and wrote it habitually. Out of two hundred tombstones from Monasterboice which had been preserved only one inscription was in Latin, while all the rest were in Irish. Many beautiful hymns in our national tongue came down to us from the earliest times, among them St. Patrick's Breastplate, which was attributed to the Saint himself.

With the Church the bardic order, namely—the lawyers, historians and poets—preserved our traditions intact when the whole civilisation of Europe was being destroyed. The period from 800 to 1014 A.D. was a period of great literary and artistic production among the Irish. In spite of the ravages of the Danes, their presence along the seaboard was really most beneficial to national culture. Similarly, the Normans, who invaded the country in 1169, and who adopted the language and culture of this country, had a good influence. From the time of Henry VIII. onward Irish scholars and poets continued to labour under tremendous difficulties, and a steady gloom was settling down over the whole spirit of the nation as expressed in her literature. The people, however, clung to their language and all the tradition that it meant to them.

The herculean task which had been accomplished in the small space of the last forty years by the great pioneers of the revival movement left nothing but hope for the national language which had stood to the country in all periods of the history of her culture and civilisation.

Mr. James Stephens proposed a vote of thanks to the Auditor. He said that there was no more difficult subject to treat than that of Irish culture. If we did not take the Irish to be our language, though we might win out by national energy, we would no longer be the Irish race that antiquity knew, that bore the name, and that by those who fashioned our magnificent mythology last. If the people let the Irish language die, they might be submerged, whether for good or for bad, by an English culture, or, what was more menacing, an American culture. The Irish language was the only barrier that could be placed between ourselves and other countries and so it had got to be regarded as our culture, and the only thing worth striving for. (Applause.)

Mr. J. J. Walsh seconded the motion. He said that it was a regrettable fact that not one person in a thousand of the citizens of Dublin knew the first thing about the native tongue. If all of them did their duty, he was certain that they would place the Irish language in the position which it should by right occupy.

The President said that continuity of culture was, in his opinion, impossible without continuity of language. Devotion to the language would not involve the giving up of anything else that one was attached to. The Irish language would give them a key to the heritage which they had derived from the past, and enable them to make the present and the future the rational continuation of the past. Politics threatened to occupy an undue place in this country, and anything that would detract from the excessive amount of devotion to politics would be very desirable.

The vote of thanks was passed and the proceedings ended.

ACTION AGAINST CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL ASSOCIATION.

At the Cork Circuit Court yesterday, Simon Daly, a member of the late City Corporation, sued the Committee of the Cumann na nGaedheal Association, of which he was organiser, for £71, alleged to be due for work and services rendered by him at the request of the defendants. The case was settled, the terms being that Mr. Barry, Mr. Egan, Mrs. O Donovan, and Messrs. Edward Boggin and Michael Landy should pay plaintiff £40 and costs.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

At a meeting of the Dublin County Board of the National Athletic and Cycling Association of Ireland the following resolution was passed:—

"That this Board requests the consideration of the members of the medical profession, the authorities of the universities, colleges and schools, and all athletic bodies in Ireland of the advisability of holding a conference, with a view to the establishment of a system of physical training and education for the youth of Ireland on lines similar to those adopted in other countries.

"That copies of this resolution be sent to the Secretary of the Irish Medical Council, the registrars of the universities, the principals of colleges and schools, and the secretaries of all athletic bodies in Ireland, with an intimation that this Board is willing to co-operate in the calling of such a conference, should the proposal meet with general approval."

THE ARD FEIS.

MESSAGE FROM MR. DE VALERA.

WORK IN THE NORTH TO BE CONTINUED.

An Ard Feis, or convention, of delegates from the Sinn Fein organisation throughout the country was opened in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday afternoon. The attendance, though not so large as in previous years, almost filled the Round Room. A few Roman Catholic clergymen were to be seen here and there in the gathering.

Mr. P. J. Rattledge, T.D., who presided, read a message prepared for the Ard Feis by Mr. de Valera in anticipation of his arrest. In this he set out the headings of topics which he would have referred to had he been in his place. These were:—

1. The Constitution of Sinn Fein; the fundamental aims and means; the progress since 1917 seen by a comparison between what was in the future when the Constitution was drafted and the Constitution revised to meet the situation of 1921, when the Government of the Irish Republic was finally in being, and, again, with the situation of to-day.

2. Sinn Fein is not a mere political machine, but the citizenry organised for self-help; such an organisation the safeguard and alternative to paternalistic or anti-national government; the effect of co-operative discipline and mutual example on the individual and on the national character.

3. Sinn Fein organisation as the remedy for political intrigue and corruption and as a guardian of public morality:

(a) The only way to obviate the vices and dangers of modern democracy.

(b) The attitude of Sinn Fein towards "law and order" and "stable government."

4. The drink evil and need for sobriety, industry and initiative as the basis of progress; the deterioration that began with the Truce in 1921.

5. Economic and social policy; the nation to be made as self-sufficient and self-contained economically as possible; the need of capturing and developing home markets; the need of finding foreign markets and of achieving such a correct proportion between exports and imports as will avoid the disastrous trade balances against us, which are clearly shown in the statistical figures of the present; the balance to be established between agriculture and manufacture; the mutual advantages and the part that the industrial North could play with profit to itself and to the nation; the need for protection and the necessary safeguards to prevent abuse; the case of the North and its necessary raw materials, etc.; an agreed common economic policy for the whole island an essential; the whole Northern question and the folly of partition, politically and economically, and of a boundary, with its administrative wastage in officials, guards, and delays in trains; voluntary preference measures that can even now be practised by the duty of women—the buyers for the household—and the great rôle they can play in stimulating Irish industry and agriculture and reducing unemployment by purchasing home-made goods and home-grown food products.

6. Land, housing, reafforestation and drainage schemes.

7. Internal organisation matters; the present financial position; debts of the organisation; the funds withheld by the treasurers; my position as sole trustee; the need of voluntary services and financial contributions; the need for energetic officers; a call to select as public representatives the most intelligent and best men in the community; the need for men of brains and character in every position; the ideal of public service as opposed to that of political job-hunting.

8. The need of a daily penny paper, national and trustworthy, and run on strictly business lines with successful business men as directors; the value of such a paper as teacher, as true interpreter of home and foreign news, of matters national, financial, economic, and cultural; the efforts being made to secure its establishment.

THE NORTHERN ELECTIONS.

Mr. Ruttledge, continuing, said that they had every reason to congratulate themselves on the stand they had taken in the North. They had cemented the standard of Republicanism in the North which there would be some difficulty, whether by Boundary Commissions or otherwise, to remove. Since the last meeting of the Ard Fheis their organisation had moved on in leaps and bounds, and they had the daily sight of the people rallying to the standard of the Republic and returning to their old allegiance. A large number of men, members of the army and of the political organisation, had been tried and flung into prison and treated as criminals. Within the past few days two men had been arrested in Dundalk on the representation that they were in possession of arms. Those two men were now lying naked, their clothes torn off, in Dundalk Jail. It rested with their organisation to discipline and regulate opinion in this country, so that it would be impossible for their opponents to act in that way and treat as criminals men who were merely acting on their bare rights as citizens. (Applause.)

The by-elections within the past twelve months had shown to anyone who was doubtful or pessimistic the great change that had taken place in the country. The by-elections about to take place would show more clearly than ever that the flowing tide was with the Republic. (Applause.) The progress that their organisation had made would have been far greater but for the appallingly impoverished conditions forced on the country by the misrule of a junta.

THE REPORT.

Mr. Austin Stack, T.D., read the report of the honorary secretaries on the result of the year's working. The number of affiliated cumann were 633 in Ireland, eighteen in Scotland, and six in England. The number exceeded the figure for last year, but the economic conditions had made it difficult for many districts to raise money. In the coming by-elections they hoped to win some of the vacant seats, all of which had been held by Free State representatives.

Mr. Sean Connolly, Dublin, complained that enough was not being done on behalf of their prisoners now in Free State, Northern and British jails. He asserted that if they in the organisation had their way they would see that the President would not do an hour in a British jail.

The Hon. Albinia Broderick spoke of the recent elections in the North, and said that all of them who had been working there had come back full of the realisation of their immense importance to the nation at large.

Mr. Stack replied to the points raised.

The report was unanimously adopted, and the first session concluded.

NIGHT SESSION.

Mr. P. J. Rutledge again presided at the public session at night, at which the report of the Director of Organisation was adopted.

Mr. John Murphy (Killarney) said that from his experience of Tyrone and Fermanagh the foundation had been laid there.

Mr. Peter Murney (Co. Down) said that they had adopted the right tactics in the North at the recent elections. The President of the Irish Republic had gone further towards the unity of Ireland by being arrested in the North than could be done by any other means.

In reply to hedging a vote as to election work, Mr. Eamonn Donnelly stated that the intention of the Organisation was to carry on their work in the six counties, no matter what the consequences were.

Mr. Sean O hUadhaigh, in moving new rules to regulate the movement, mentioned one which provides that no candidate is eligible in a constituency which includes part of an Irish-speaking district who is not a competent Irish speaker.

The meeting lasted until a late hour, the business being the amendment of the rules.

ACCIDENT ON A STEAMSHIP.

When on duty on board the steamship Marguerite at Sir John Rogerson's quay, Dublin, last evening, Seaman Duncan Pope, aged 18, fell down the ship's hold and was injured about the head and the right leg. He was taken to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
In the Matter of
THE COMPANIES CONSOLIDATION ACT, 1908,
And in the Matter of
THE INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT SOCIETIES ACT, 1893,
And in the Matter of
THE TRALEE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LIMITED.

The Creditors of the above-named Society are required, on or before the 26th day of November, 1924, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Albert Swain, of 3 Lower Sackville street, Dublin, Official Liquidator of the said Society, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts and claims at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Murnaghan, Law Courts, Dublin, at such time as shall be specified by such notice; or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Wednesday, the 10th day of December, 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.
Dated 23rd day of October, 1924.
JOHN HEALY, Chief Clerk.

Notice of Audit and Dividend.—23.
SAORSTAT EIREANN
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
JOHN GORE MOORE, of No. 44 Heytesbury street, in the City of Dublin, Esquire, a Bankrupt.
A Public Sitting will be held before the Court, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1924, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon to audit the Assignees' Account and make a dividend in this matter.
Dated this 3rd day of November, 1924.
W. A. T. COBBE, Acting Deputy Registrar.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin.
BENNETT THOMPSON and EDWARDS, Solicitors for the Assignees, 12 Molesworth street, Dublin.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
ADVERTISEMENT FOR CREDITORS.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in the Matter of the Estate of
PATRICK McGRATH, Deceased;
PATRICK CAROLAN, Plaintiff;
And
PETER BUTTERLY, Defendant.
The Creditors of the said Patrick McGrath, late of Glen Carlow Cross, Navan, in the County of Meath, Farmer, who died in or about the month of January, 1924, are, on or before the 8th day of December, 1924, to send by post, pre-paid, to Mr. John C. Callan, of 25 Stephen's Green, Dublin, the Solicitor of the Plaintiff, the Executor of the Deceased, their names, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.
Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same at Chambers, Law Courts, Dublin, on the 17th day of December, 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 4th day of November, 1924.
JOHN HEALY, Chief Clerk.
JOHN C. CALLAN, Solicitor for Plaintiff, 25 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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DEBATING HALL, G.M.B., TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), NOVEMBER 6th, at 8 p.m.
The Chair will be taken by
At 8 p.m.
The President, Dr. L. C. PURSER, S.F., T.C.D.
Dr. R. W. LIVINGSTONE, Vice-Chancellor of Queen's University, Belfast,
Will Deliver an Address on
"THE PROBLEM OF THE EUMENIDES OF AESCHYLUS."
Speakers:—Professor M. TIERNEY, M.A., of University College, Dublin; the Auditor, A. W. BAYRE (Sch., Sen. Mod.), B.A., LL.B.
THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.
LADIES NOT ADMITTED.
H. C. BAKER, B.A., Hon. Sec.

REMEMBRANCE DAY,
11th NOVEMBER, 1924.
CEREMONY AT COLLEGE GREEN.
CELTIC CROSS IN MEMORY OF IRISHMEN WHO FELL IN WAR 1914-1918.
UNVEILING CEREMONY BY LEGION PRESIDENT AT 11 a.m.
WREATHS WILL BE LAID ON BEHALF OF LEGION 10th, 16th and 36th IRISH DIVISIONS BY LATE COMMANDERS.
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LEGION OF IRISH EX-SERVICE MEN,
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Under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin,
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TUESDAY EVENING, 11th NOVEMBER, 1924,
AT 8 O'CLOCK, BY
MR. PAUL STARK SEELEY, C.S.B.
(of Portland, Oregon, U.S.A.),
Member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.
DOORS OPEN AT 7.30 P.M.
ALL CORDIALLY INVITED.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT.

Take Notice that I intend to apply to the Registrar of Clubs, Longford District Court, for a Renewal of a Certificate of Registration for the COUNTY LONGFORD CLUB, Main street, Longford.
M. M. KENNY, Hon. Secretary.

I, HUGH MONTGOMERY MILLER, of Derrygore, Enniskillen, in the County of Fermanagh, do hereby give Notice that, in compliance with the Will of Edwin Irwin, Deceased, dated the 11th day of November, 1874, I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the surname of "Irwin," only in lieu of and substitution for my present surname of "Miller," and that such intended change and assumption of name is formally declared and evidenced by Deed Poll under my hand and seal, dated the 27th day of October, and forthwith to be enrolled in the High Court of Justice. In Testimony whereof I do hereby sign and subscribe myself by such my intended future name.
Dated this 27th day of October, 1924.
Signed by the said Hugh Montgomery Irwin in the presence of Herbert J. D. Moffit, Harold V. Guthrie.
HUGH MONTGOMERY IRWIN.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

When the eight Dublin men who were arrested last week in connection with the murder of Private Aspinall at Queenstown in March last were brought up in the Dublin District Court yesterday counsel for the Free State said that the authorities had made further inquiries, and had decided that they would not be justified in proceeding further with the case. All of the defendants were then discharged.—(Page 7.)

The Dail decided yesterday that Rural Councils must be abolished.—(Page 7.)

Dr. MacNeill leaves Dublin to-day for the first sitting of the Boundary Commission, which will be held to-morrow in London.—(Page 7.)

Grants of £60 a house will be paid to private builders by the Northern Government until April, 1926.—(Page 7.)

The Down Diocesan Synod yesterday discussed the Northern Education Act, and by a majority passed a resolution requesting the Government to introduce a bill to remove or modify objectionable clauses in the Act.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN

Speaking at the Sheffield Cutlers' Feast last night, Mr. J. H. Thomas said that a verdict had been given, and, as democrats, his party must accept that verdict. He said that because he already observed a tendency to talk of an alternative method—direct action. He was returning to his duties as a trade union leader, because he believed that he could render the best service to the country by directing and shaping the organisation with which he had always been associated.—(Page 8.)

The complete casualty list of the L.M.S. railway disaster show that fourteen persons were killed, two seriously injured, and thirty-six slightly injured.—(Page 7.)

Ten miners were imprisoned in an iron ore pit near Whitehaven by a fall of roof on Monday afternoon. Rescue parties, who were able to speak to them yesterday, learned that all the men were safe.—(Page 7.)

The mystery of the Zinovieff letter has not been solved by the British Cabinet.—(Page 7.)

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald tendered his resignation as Prime Minister yesterday afternoon, and in the evening Mr. Stanley Baldwin kissed hands with the King on being appointed Prime Minister.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

It is officially reported that a mutiny has broken out in some of the ships of the Brazilian Navy.—(Page 7.)

It seems certain that the Pekin Government forces have been definitely defeated. The country's trade has suffered considerably, and a period of settled government is urgently required.—(Page 7.)

The Presidential elections in the United States took place yesterday. It was generally anticipated that President Coolidge would be re-elected.—(Page 7.)

Severe floods are reported from the Rhine Valley. The situation in Cologne is alarming.—(Page 7.)

A new regulation in France requires all visitors who stay in the country for more than fifteen days to obtain identity cards from the police.—(Page 8.)

SPORTING.

At Lincoln yesterday Mandelieu won the Lincoln Autumn Handicap.—(Page 10.)

At Wolverhampton Potheen won the Shrewsbury Steeplechase Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were again very firm, and there was every appearance of expanding business. Provincial Exchanges also report great activity.—(Page 11.)

Loans were in demand in Lombard street, and the rate for overnight money ran up to 3-3½ per cent. The Discount market was firmer. Foreign exchanges opened dull, but became steadier later on.—(Page 11.)

In Dublin Home Railway Stocks moved irregularly. Dunlops were active and higher. Tobaccos and Textiles were firm.—(Page 11.)

Compulsion and Good-Will.

There is a widespread belief in the Free State that an important minority of the people dislike the Irish language and resent its revival in the schools. That belief is without foundation. The sooner the majority recognise the fact and try to understand the real mind of the Protestant community on this matter, the sooner the Irish language will take its proper place in our national scheme of things. The Protestant view is as follows: This is a small and poor country, inhabited by an intelligent people. The only inheritance with which the average boy in the Free State begins life is his brains; they are the sword with which he must open his oyster, the world. At present many of the cleverest Irish boys must seek their fortunes outside Ireland, and this condition is likely to prevail for a long time. Therefore, the Irish boy ought to get such an education as will fit him for the conflict of life, either at home or abroad. The need was defined by the Provost of Trinity College, with his customary lucidity, in the letter which was read, on Monday, at the meeting of the Dublin Presbyterian Association. The nation's main problem, as Dr. Bernard said, is the development of a system of public education which will be at once national and cosmopolitan. On the national side, Irish Protestants are entirely willing to admit and honour the due claims of the Irish language. They object only when—as now—the Government insists upon a predominance for the Irish language which ignores the cosmopolitan aspect and threatens to disqualify Irish boys for success in any other part of the mighty Commonwealth of Nations to which the Free State belongs. The new programme for secondary schools aims at a system under which all teaching shall be done through the medium of Irish. It puts a premium on that language which discourages in the most practical fashion the teaching of Greek, Latin and the modern languages. It cripples the teaching of science. In a word, it laughs at the doctrine of the survival of the fittest. If it is maintained, it will send thousands of our youth into exile and will doom the rest to a hopelessly parochial outlook on the world.

We acquit the Free State Government of any deliberate intention to be an intellectual tyrant; it is, indeed, the perfectly well-meaning victim of an honourable, but misguided, enthusiasm. The Minister for Education's letter to the Presbyterian meeting explains his position. He argues that desperate diseases require desperate remedies, and that he is cruel only to be kind. The neglect into which the Irish language had fallen demanded "very comprehensive counteracting provisions"; but Mr. MacNeill expects a time when the *status* of the language will rest on "the sound basis of public good-will and affection," and not upon "the artificial basis of governmental requirements." Two facts must defeat this amiable hope. In the first place, the history of government furnishes no proof that compulsion can breed affection or even good-will: all its illustrations are to the contrary. In the next place, the "counteracting" provisions are not counteracting anything at all: they are effecting a process of degradation in both directions. They are degrading the teaching of classics, modern languages and science, and they are degrading the *status* of Irish by exhibiting its incapacity to fulfil the tasks which Mr. MacNeill has imposed on it. We learn that even in schools where the Gaelic fervour runs highest the attempt to teach all subjects through the medium of Irish has failed lamentably. Last week the President of St. Colman's College declared frankly that the teaching of the sciences through Irish was "impossible" and that the vain effort was making dangerous inroads on the integrity of the language. The truth is that the Department of Education has made a big mistake, which ought to be acknowledged without further delay. We tell Mr. MacNeill that he will serve the best interests of the nation and of the Irish language if he abandons compulsion in favour of reasonable encouragement and puts public good-will at the beginning, rather than at the end, of his scheme. As Mr. Imrie, the Headmaster of St. Andrew's College, indicated on Monday, Irish Protestants will respond readily to such a change of tactics.

M. Herriot's Problems.

The French Parliament reassembled yesterday. The proceedings opened auspiciously for the Government with a vote of confidence, which was passed by 410 votes to 171. M. Herriot is assured of the support of the Socialists. There are no fewer than ten distinct parties in the Chamber of Deputies, the most formidable of which are the Radicals and Radical Socialists, with 140 members, the more advanced Socialists, styled "*Section Française de l'Internationale Ouvrière*," with 105 members, and the right wing of the Democratic Party, with 103 members. In spite of the resolution which was passed on Sunday by the Socialist National Council, M. Herriot may not find his Socialist allies very easy to manage. Their aspirations and ideals have not been modified, and it is probable that they will try to hold the Premier to a course towards more advanced Socialism as the price of the support on which he must rely to maintain his majority in the Chamber. The strength of M. Herriot's position lies in the fact that his tenure of power suits the Socialists very well, since on it rests their ability to direct the tendency of legislation. In these circumstances they are unlikely to revoke their decision and the Government is reasonably safe in depending upon them. Among the principal subjects in which they are interested are housing, the price of food and the improvement of the financial and economic situation. On these points M. Herriot probably will find himself in complete agreement with them; but it is more doubtful whether he will be able to agree so readily to their proposals respecting reform in the military and educational system and the increase of State control.

It is expected that the Budget will occupy most of the Chamber's time and attention until the close of the year. The Government is extremely anxious that it shall be passed by that time, and, with this object, the Budget has been divided into two parts. The estimates of expenditure will be taken first, and as soon as they have been discussed in the Chamber they will be sent up to the Senate. Another subject upon which M. Herriot must expect plenty of criticism is his attitude to the Roman Catholic Church. His declared intention to enforce the secular laws with increased rigour has caused much resentment, which is not confined to Alsace and Lorraine. He has expressed his determination to tackle the question of the high cost of living, and on his success or failure in this direction will rest very largely his chances of retaining office. As regards foreign politics, the recent recognition of the Soviet Government will play a large part in the deliberations of the French Chamber, and the Senate will discuss this matter before it receives the first portion of the Budget. An awkward situation may arise between France and Germany in the near future. A German general, who had been sentenced, in his absence, to a term of imprisonment by a French military court for an offence against the laws of war, crossed the frontier into French territory a few days ago. He was arrested promptly by the French military police and is confined pending developments which may entail the execution of the sentence of imprisonment. This incident has caused much excitement and anger in Germany, and the German Press speaks of reprisals and of the severance of diplomatic relations. Unless the two Governments can settle the matter amicably it may become an obstacle to the smooth working of the Dawes Plan.

George Eliot.

The vast gulf which lies between us and the world that was before the war causes the Victorian days to seem dimly remote from living humanity. Hence it is with astonishment that most people will read the announcement of the death of George Eliot's husband. It is difficult to realise that only now a living link has been snapped with the author of those remarkable novels about which, even in our youth, clung the atmosphere of a distant controversy. Mr. J. W. Cross, who has died at the age of eighty-four, married George Eliot in 1880, two years after the death of George Henry Lewis. That brilliant woman, whose friendship with him had deepened during studies which they prosecuted together in the search of escape from grief, died a few months after her marriage. Mr. Cross compiled materials for his dead wife's biography, and wrote other works of considerable importance. He lived to see the world re-made, and he must have watched with satisfaction the growth of George Eliot's fame until her books, the theme of ephemeral debate at their appearance, attained an undisputed rank as English classics. George Eliot took a foremost place among Victorian writers in 1858, when "Adam Bede" appeared; and this masterpiece was followed by "The Mill on the Floss," "Silas Marner" and four other novels in the spacious manner which has now been lost. It is a little hard for us to understand the Victorian disapproval of works which, for all the stark gloom of many a passage written in spiritual agony, are imperishable pictures of the English countryside and of English life. George Eliot had something of the fiery spirit of the Brontës, but she surpassed those brilliant sisters in her character-drawing, humour and racy description. Such intensity was in her style that many a passage in her tales has the perfection of a proverb: "That's a bad sort of eddication as makes folks unreasonable"; "In every parting there is the image of death," and "We hand folks over to God's mercy and shew none ourselves."

The Revival of Craftsmanship.

Handicrafts are coming into a renewed esteem. Ruskin and Morris would be happy men if they could visit the exhibition which is now being held in London by the Home Arts and Industries Association. Here an astonishing luxuriance of hand-made goods is displayed—clothing, crockery, furniture, metal-work. It appears that, since the war, large numbers of ex-Service men have taken up handicrafts as a means of living, and there has been a steady increase in demand for hand-made articles. Public taste, surfeited by the uniform products of the machine, has come to desire once more the elegance and inimitable grace of the work of the old craftsmen. Old chairs and vases, preserved in the museums, made by master-craftsmen of former times with an almost casual ease and a felicity of form that sprang from tradition, have been imitated painfully with mathematical accuracy and multiplied by busy engines; but the product has lacked some intangible, yet vital, quality which only the skilled hand can impart. Persons of discrimination have recognised that the machine's function is to produce cheap, utilitarian objects in abundance; but the article which is to be made with a regard for beauty is best made by human agency. In the sale of machine-made objects of art costs of distribution have risen so high that the craftsman's work is now but little dearer than the machine's; and people of good taste are glad to pay that difference which is the price of distinction. Thus we may see again lovely vases, made, every one of a unique pattern, like that in the British Museum which bears the craftsman's inscription, telling how he devoted his pains to the beloved recipient: "This vase I made for —— and soe no other."

NORTHERN HOUSING BILL.

GRANTS AVAILABLE UNTIL APRIL, 1926.

When the Housing Acts (Amendment) Bill was discussed in the Northern House of Commons yesterday, Mr. J. M. Barbour moved a resolution to provide funds for the extension until 1st April, 1926, of the period within which grants might be given under the Act of 1923 in respect of the construction of houses.

He mentioned that the extension of the period by a year would result in a considerable increase in the charge upon public funds. The estimated expenditure on grants for the current year was based on a programme which contemplated that 500 houses would be built by local authorities and 2,500 by private enterprise. A sum of £30,000 was set aside for local authorities and a sum of £150,000 for private builders. He estimated the same figures for 1925-1926.

When the bill was considered in Committee, Sir Dawson Bates moved an amendment which excluded from benefit all houses completed before a date specified in the resolution of the local authority, and also all houses which had, before the date of the resolution, been sold by the persons by whom they were constructed.

Sir Crawford McCullagh said that the amendment was very much on the lines he suggested during the second reading of the bill, and he believed that it would now remove all outstanding difficulties between the Belfast Corporation and the Government. (Hear, hear.) The Corporation really never objected to pay the additional £40, but what it did object to was to pay £40 to an individual who had built his house, had sold it and had put the profit into his pocket. The amendment would enable the Corporation to give the grant to any outside individual who would come forward and build a house.

The Minister for Finance said that the Corporation did not show a sufficient spirit of enterprise in regard to the building of houses by private persons. However, the amendment would enable the Corporation to exercise its judgment in regard to payment of the subsidy. He knew that private builders were willing to put up buildings, either to be sold or to be let, if they were assured they would receive the £100—£60 of which would be paid by the Government and £40 by the Corporation—without formalities.

The amendment was agreed to, and the bill passed through Committee.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — *An anti-cyclone belt stretches from the Continent across England and Ireland to the Atlantic, while depressions moving eastward across Iceland to the Norwegian coast are encroaching on the Northern part of the British Isles. Fine, quiet weather, with frost and fog at night, will continue over most of England, Wales and Ireland, but in Scotland westerly winds are likely, with less settled weather.*

N.W. and N.E. Ireland. — *Wind westerly, moderate, fresh at times; cloudy; local showers; visibility moderate or good; moderate temperature to rather mild.*

S.E. and S.W. Ireland. — *Wind north-easterly or variable, mainly light; fine, apart from local morning fog; rather cold by day; frost early and late.*

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—*Wind variable, light; fair; visibility good, apart from local coastal fog; sea slight.*

N.W. Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides. — *Fresh or strong westerly winds; cloudy; local showers; visibility moderate or good; sea moderate or rather rough.*

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Tuesday (5 p.m.)	30.40

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To-day....Rises ..	7.31	Sets	4.46
To-morrow.. „ ..	7.33	„	4.44
Lighting-up Time		....	5.46

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day....Morning	5.32	Afternoon	5.47
To-morrow........	6.39	„	7. 1

If there is one thing democracy means it is that the verdict having been given that verdict must be accepted.—Mr. J. H. Thomas.

We have all felt from time to time that less taxes for us and harder work, longer hours, and lower wages for others is the only rational solution of the country's difficulties.—Mr. A. A. Milne.

I take a very hopeful view of the future expansion of commercial aviation.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Leonard.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Captain James O'Grady was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace yesterday morning, and kissed hands upon his appointment as Governor of Tasmania, when His Majesty conferred upon him the honour of Knighthood and invested him with the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George. The Hon. Littleton Groom, Attorney-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, also was received by the King, who conferred upon him the honour of Knighthood and invested him with the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George. General Lord Rawlinson, Commander-in-Chief in India, and Mr. Matthew Charlton, leader of the Australian Labour Party, had the honour of being received by the King.

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The King's engagements for next week include a visit to the Earl of Iveagh at Elveden Hall, where the pheasant preserves are expected to afford good sport. A distinguished party of guests has been invited to meet His Majesty.

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Princess Mary is still at Chesterfield House, but will shortly leave for Goldsborough Hall, where Viscount Lascelles arrived on Monday. The Duke and Duchess of York have arrived at Knowsley Park, on a visit to the Earl and Countess of Derby, and will accompany them to the races at Aintree to-day. Next week the Duke and Duchess will be present at the concert in the Albert Hall in aid of Earl Haig's Fund for the British Legion.

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The Duke Connaught has arrived at his villa, Les Bruyères, Cap Ferrat, where he will spend the next four months. His daughter, Lady Patricia Ramsay, will not be with him this winter, as she is starting on Friday, with her little son, for Bermuda, where her husband's ship is stationed at present.

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The Hon. Edward Harold Ward celebrates his nineteenth birthday to-day. He is the only son of Viscount Bangor, and heir to the Barony and the Viscountcy conferred on Bernard Ward, who was M.P. for County Down from 1749 to 1770.

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Lord and Lady Athlumney have left Somerville, County Meath, for London, where they will remain for some time. Lady Cheylesmore will leave New York to-day for England, where she will join Lord Cheylesmore at their residence in London.

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Excellent pheasant shooting has been enjoyed at Avon Tyrrell, Hampshire, where Lord and Lady Manners have been entertaining several shooting parties recently. Lady Manners will be remembered in Dublin as Mrs. Claude Guinness. She is a daughter of the late Baron Nugent, and was left a widow in 1895. Two years ago she married Lord Manners, a grandson of the first Baron, who was Lord Chancellor of Ireland in 1807.

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The luncheon which was given at the Criterion Restaurant, London, to the leading medical women of Great Britain, commemorated also the jubilee of the entrance of women into the medical profession. The guests of honour were Lady Barrett (wife of Sir William Barrett, F.R.S.), Miss Aldrich Blake, Mrs. Mary Scharlieb, Dame Janet Campbell and Professor Louise McIlroy. Ireland was represented by the Marchioness of Londonderry and the Dowager Countess of Gosford, and Mrs. Massey Lyon presided.

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Mrs. Wisdom Hely has issued invitations for November 15th and 16th, from 3 to 8 p.m., to see the display of chrysanthemums at her residence, Oakland, Rathgar, Dublin. On the first day there will be the additional attraction of dancing in the covered court.

A Subscription Dance is being held in La Scala Ballroom on November 28th. Tickets, 15s. each, may be had from Mrs. Chaytor, Smithstown, Dunshaughlin; Mrs. McKeever, Batterstown, and Mrs. Smith, Blackhall, Batterstown.

Fur-trimmed Coats in many beautiful models are being shown in Switzer's Coat Department at most moderate prices.

Elegant Frocks, Beaded Tunics, and Dinner Gowns. Lovely little Dance Frocks, charmingly simple, 14s. 9d., 15s. 9d., 25s. 6d., 29s. 6d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Luxurious Fur Coats and Wraps, Animal Ties, New Small Ties in Baum Marten, Stone Marten, Mink, Sable, Natural and Japanese Fox, Skunk, etc.—At Holmes', George's st.

Veronica (late Magdy's, Paris) has limited number of French Model Day and Evening Gowns, Coats, Millinery, selling at very low prices for ten days.—31 Upper Baggot street.

Economy Days—All our Model Costumes, Coats and Gowns greatly reduced.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow street.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers. New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Have the strength and beauty of your child's feet assured by "Start-Rite" Footwear. Send for attractive Free Booklet to J. Vincent Bradley, The House for Good Footwear, 23 Nassau street, Dublin.

Alice (late Switzers) is making in her new inexpensive department copies of Jean Patou Coatfrocks in Navy Serge from 6¼ guineas.—18 Stephen's Green.

Perfection in Millinery. Atkinson's Irish Poplin.—31 College Green, Dublin.

Furniture Stored in our new Fireproof Furniture Depository, Long lane; largest and most up to date in Dublin.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd., 14 Grafton street.

Confessions of a Dealer—See *Weekly Irish Times*, on sale to-day, for review of Mr. Thomas Rohan's latest book.

Economy Week at Slyne's. Very special prices this week for Coats, Dresses, Hats, and Kiddies' Outfits.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street and Harry street.

Girl's Tweed Suit, size 6, selling for 39s. 6d. during our Economy Week. Also the New Check Winter Overcoats, sizes 33" and 36", 55s. 6d., and Navy Reefer Coats from 18s. 11d.—Slyne and Co., Ltd., 71 Grafton street, 1 and 2 Harry street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—Miss V. Ingham, F. G. Vanston, Mrs. Vanston, Miss A. M. Boyland, W. J. Cohen, J. Glick, the Misses F. and H. Burgess, Walter Baird, Mrs. Baird, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Baird, G. Hubard, W. A. Pritchard Jones, W. A. Cochrane, B. Butler, C. Storey, H. N. Banon.

Departures:—The Rev. W. F. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walker, George Clune, Thomas G. Henry, Dr. D. Foley, Miss Eva Hemingway, Miss Isobel Tyndall, Mrs. R. W. L. Cowell, Master Bryan Cowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hogan, Miss P. Peacocke, H. Waters, Mrs. H. W. Hopkins, Mrs. W. N. Spence, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bingham, W. R. F. Collis, Miss Doran, R. M. Conkey, Mrs. and Miss Carton, Miss Nugent, P. J. Lawless, Mrs. Cyril Browne, Dr. George Robinson, Miss Keys, Miss Evelyn Crampton, Sydney Harris, Canon Jackson, John Perry, James Kirkwood.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Notable values in Ladies' Jumpers, Cardigans, House Coats, and Hosiery this week at McBirney's.

Oriental Goods in great variety and prices moderate. 11-5.—17 South Anne street, Rainsford.

To LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor, female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Special Sale of Sports Coats and Jumpers for one week only. Ten per cent. discount will be allowed on all purchases. Wool Cardigans, 6/11 to 19/6; usual prices, 12/11 to 29/6. Genuine Bargains to Clear. See Windows To-day (Wednesday).—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Il Trovatore," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"All The Best," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Kingdom of God," 8 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Slander the Woman," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Grand Central Cinema—"Ebb Tide."
Metropole—"Rosita," 2.15, 4.30, 6.45 and 8.55.
The Grafton—"Lawful Larceny."
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Montmartre."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," 3 to 10.15 p.m.
Town Hall, Rathmines—"The Cabaret Kittens," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Seamen's Institute Bazaar—Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, 3 p.m.
St. John Ambulance Appeal—Mansion House, 8.
Dail Eireann, 3 p.m.
Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
Rathmines Council, 10 a.m.
Law Courts, Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.
Central Criminal Court, 11 a.m.
Dublin Circuit Court, 11 a.m.
Wicklow District Court, 11 a.m.

You have no right to be disgusted with life unless you are an angel or an invalid.—Mr. Robert Lynd.

CARL ROSA OPERA SEASON.

"ROMEO AND JULIET."

Having now among its members a brilliant *prima donna* in Miss Maud Neilson, the Carl Rosa Opera Company has done well to revive Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet."

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The operatic form of Shakespeare's tragedy presents some peculiarities. Gounod began to write what would have passed for Italian opera. Verdi might well have written the music of the first act, which belongs clearly to an Italian family, and even eschews, for the most part, those Gounod *formulæ* which mark the authorship of the later strains plainly enough. The Italian pattern is followed partly into the second act; the little male-voice chorus there might again be Verdi.

With increase of tension in the story and its telling, Gounod forgets any manner but his own, and the texture of the music is thinned out to a material fully characteristic of the French composer.

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Such a development imposes a severe test on the *prima donna* who takes up the part of Juliet. She is required to prove herself first in the brilliant *coloratura* numbers of the first act, and then in the more horizontal lyricism of the love-duets that occur in later scenes.

Miss Neilson came through the test with something like triumph. She astonished the audience by the glitter of her *coloratura* passages, which she executed with the greatest brilliance. Her "waltz song" was a sparkling performance, and she took the high note with apparent ease and perfect steadiness. In Dublin, where this style of singing is especially popular, and memories of former triumphs in such parts as that of Juliet are preserved and compared, accounts of Miss Neilson's vocal qualities will spread quickly.

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In the more impassioned music, which she shared with Mr. Ben Williams, the Romeo of this production, both artistes sang very movingly. Mr. Williams is not always sure of his note when he has to sing in the middle register, but his high notes are true, pure and sweet. The lovers' strains came with great beauty from these two. Mr. Hubert Bath, who conducted, secured a delicious orchestral accompaniment for such passages.

In a strong company of supporters, including Mr. Flintoff Moore as Mercutio (not at his best in the "Queen Mab" song), Mr. Frederick Clendon as Capulet, and Miss Winifred Burns as the nurse, Mr. John Kelly gained chief attention by his fine singing of the music for Friar Laurence, notably, of course, in the marriage episode.

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The opera might have been mounted better; the hall of the Capulets was almost dingy.

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It is announced that among the operas to be presented in the company's third week is Beethoven's "Fidelio."

To-night—"Il Trovatore."

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

NEW VICE-PROVOST ELECTED.

At a meeting of the Board of Trinity College yesterday Dr. L. C. Purser was elected and admitted Vice-Provost of the College. Dr. Purser has been a Fellow for forty-three years, and his accession to the office of Vice-Provost has given great satisfaction to his colleagues. Mr. Gray, the out-going Vice-Provost, retains his Senior Fellowship, but the duties of Vice-Provost, which he has undertaken since 1917, are too great a strain on his physical powers. Mr. Fry has been elected to the Registrarship, vacant by Dr. L. C. Purser's promotion, and Mr. E. J. Gwynn has been offered the Senior Proctorship.

4,000,000 WEMBLEY PASSENGERS.

L.M.S.'S RECORD TRAFFIC WITHOUT AN ACCIDENT.

From the opening of the British Empire Exhibition to its close over 4,000,000 persons have been detrained at the L.M.S. Wembley Station, and the handling of this abnormal traffic has been effected without accident. Including those who broke the journey at Euston and St. Pancras, the London, Midland and Scottish Railway alone has dealt with approximately 6,750,000 Exhibition visitors.

In addition to their ordinary service, the company have run 2,882 special trains, of which many came from distant parts of the provinces, and from places as far north as Inverness and Aberdeen.

For the accommodation of these long-distance excursionists, dining cars were frequently attached to the trains, and 250 cooks, pages and conductors were at times simultaneously employed on the dining cars throughout the L.M.S. system. The number of meals served on these during the period of the exhibition reaches a total exceeding 1,220,000, an increase of more than a quarter of a million on the 1923 figures for the corresponding period. At Euston Station alone, during the past six months, there have been over 450,000 more customers than during the similar period of last year.

"COPEC" IDEALS.

MEETINGS IN DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

Many people will welcome an opportunity of getting first-hand information about the important conference on politics, economics and citizenship held in Birmingham last April, which represented a united effort on the part of the Christian Churches to explain the need for establishing a "Christian Order in Politics, Economics, and Citizenship," which is the motto of the movement commonly known as "copec." Such an opportunity is offered this week, when meetings will be held in Dublin, Kingstown and Bray, to be addressed by the hon. secretaries of the Conference, Miss Lucy Gardner, of London, to whom "copec" largely owed its origin, and Canon Raven, who is well-known in Dublin, where he has frequently preached and addressed meetings since his first visit as Donnellan Lecturer in Trinity College in 1919. They will be accompanied by Mr. L. G. Pilkington, a member of the Copec Commission on Industry and Property, who has had a wide experience of social work, and was prominently connected with the Young Men's Christian Association during the war, and since then with the League of Nations Union.

Public meetings, particulars of which have been announced in our advertisement columns, have been arranged by the Dublin Christian Citizenship Council, to be held in the Metropolitan Hall, Lower Abbey street, to-morrow at 5 p.m., when the Archbishop of Dublin will preside, and on Friday at 8 p.m., when the chairman will be Senator Douglas. Meetings will be held also in the Men's Christian Institute Hall, Kingstown, to-morrow evening, and in Bray Presbyterian Hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

OBITUARY.

MR. WILLIAM McCLURE.

The death is announced at his residence, Ashbank, Ardenlee avenue, Belfast, of Mr. William McClure, a former Alderman of the City Council. Mr. McClure was first elected a member of the Council for Ormeau Ward in 1898, and in 1912 he was elected Alderman. As Chairman of the Cemetery and Parks Committee he introduced many improvements, among them being new bowling greens in four of the parks.

LABOUR AND LOYALTY.

BISHOP'S ADVICE TO EMPLOYERS.

The Bishop of Southwell, at the Diocesan conference at Derby yesterday, said that it would be foolish to declare that those who voted Labour were any more disloyal to the State than Liberals or Conservatives. Employers of labour should remember that unless they made provision for the spiritual welfare of their men, they created a happy hunting ground for those who might become disloyal.

If artists were to agree not to paint or sculpt women for a couple of hundred years, art would not perish—it would not even decline.—Mr. R. H. Wilenski.

LONDON LETTER.

LABOUR'S EXIT.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The unexpected return of Mr. Baldwin to London this afternoon was regarded as an indication that he had been advised by Mr. Macdonald that he was resigning to-night. When Mr. Baldwin left the train at Paddington and drove away with Mrs. Baldwin, there were cheers and cries of "Good luck" from the people who had watched for his arrival. All through the winter afternoon a big crowd had been waiting in Downing street to watch the demise of the Labour Government, but it was very quiet, and Ministers passed into No. 10 almost in silence. They showed, however, almost a keen disposition to be photographed, and several of them took off their hats and posed for the army of Press photographers standing in the street. The only absentee at the Cabinet Council to-day was Mr. Thomas, who was carrying out an engagement at Sheffield. When Mr. Macdonald left for the Palace late in the afternoon the crowd had fallen away owing to the cold wind, but a few keen partisans remained to give him a final cheer.

Mr. Baldwin Preparing.

It is fully expected, after the visit of Mr. Baldwin to Buckingham Palace this evening, that he will be able to announce to-morrow evening the names of those who will occupy the principal positions in his Government; for it is known that he has been carefully preparing his list since he went into the country on Friday. He has no lack of first-class material to draw upon, and may be compelled to leave out some for whom he would otherwise have found places. The circumstances, however, are such that it is unlikely that there will be any soreness or grumbling over his choice, since his followers recognise that he is anxious to do the best he can for the country. It is quite likely that the Government will be complete by the end of the week, and Ministers will be able to take up their departmental work in readiness for the opening of Parliament on November 18th.

Possible Economies.

It is understood that Mr. Baldwin is considering whether he cannot reduce the number of offices in the Government. Several of the Under-Secretaryships are regarded as redundant, and the number may be reduced. It seems unlikely that any Ministry will be sacrificed, since all the newer Ministries now seem to justify their existence. Even the Ministry of Transport, once regarded as being quite unnecessary, is now looked upon as being of considerable utility in dealing with the great traffic questions of the day. It is quite possible that Colonel Ashley, who was formerly Under-Secretary of the Department, may now become head of it.

A Bolshevist Celebration.

It seems strange that, while the British Government has been utterly defeated and even discredited owing to Bolshevist entanglements, the Bolshevist headquarters in London, now situated in the former Russian Embassy at Chesham House, are to be opened with a gala on Friday night to celebrate the seventh anniversary of the Russian revolution. M. Rakovsky is to be the host, and the representatives of all countries are to be invited to be present at what it is hoped, says an official of the Soviet delegation, will be a pleasant, dignified and enjoyable function. A full-length portrait of Lenin will be in a position on a prominent wall, while the front door of the house has been painted a brilliant red. The public part of the house will be ready for the *fête*, but the private portion is still undergoing necessary repair after the long closure of the building. The programme for Friday night has not yet been decided upon, but it is anticipated that the proceedings will be of a purely formal character, and strict evening dress will be the rule.

Replacing Casualties.

The remnant of the Liberal Party will hold a meeting one day this week for the purpose of appointing a Parliamentary head and selecting new party Whips. All the party Whips, as well as Mr. Asquith, lost their seats. It is fully anticipated that Mr. Lloyd George will be chosen as the head of the Liberal Party in Parliament, though Mr. Asquith will remain the titular head. With regard to party Whips, there were six in the late Parliament; but the whipping of forty-two members will scarcely require as many now, and three will probably be chosen.

Agriculturists in Parliament.

When the members of the new Parliament come to divide themselves into groups, as always happens after a general election, it will be found that the agricultural group is quite a large body. Farmers, practical agriculturists and stock-breeders number over fifty, so that the new Government will not be without expert advice with regard to the framing of its agricultural policy. Most of the members associated with the land are, as usual, in the Conservative Party; but several of the Liberals who are interested in the subject have survived the *débâcle* which has overtaken their party, and should be valuable members of the group.

Lord Lascelles and Portumna.

Mr. Richard Marsh, the King's trainer of horses, who is retiring after thirty years spent in the Royal service, is the eldest of three brothers, all well known on the Turf and all extremely popular men in their time. Mr. Marsh has hitherto lived at Egerton House, Newmarket, and it is possible that this residence, which he will now vacate, will be taken over by Lord Lascelles and Princess Mary as a country house, nearer London than Goldsborough Hall. The house is an extensive one, with well-kept grounds near the course. I understand that Lord Lascelles has definitely decided to do nothing at Portumna Castle at the present time.

A Great Churchman's Death.

The death of Dr. Weston, the Bishop of Zanzibar, will be a very great blow to the Anglo-Catholic party in the Church of England; for he was the great protagonist of the movement. He presided at the Anglo-Catholic Congress in the Albert Hall last year, and was the hero of High Churchmen, owing to his denunciation for "heresy and schism" of some bishops in Africa at the time of the Kikuyu Conference, because they wished to unite in missionary work with Free Church missionaries. It was the fondest hope of the Anglo-Catholics that Dr. Weston would soon be brought home from Zanzibar to become the active leader of their party at home. Arrangements are already being made to mark his passing by some elaborate Memorial Services at a number of the churches associated with the movement.

A Diplomat's Retirement.

A dinner of fourteen courses is to be given at the Savoy Hotel next week in honour of Señor don Augustin Edwards, the retiring Chilian Minister in London. The hosts will include about two hundred of the richest men in the world—members of the Latin-American society of Great Britain—and Mr. Lionel Rothschild will preside. It is said that at least twenty of those who intend to be present could write cheques for four million pounds.

THE LATE BISHOP OF ZANZIBAR.

NAIROBI, Tuesday.

The Right Rev. Frank Weston, Bishop of Zanzibar, whose death was reported yesterday, is understood to have died of pneumonia.—(Reuter.)

MR. BALDWIN SEES THE KING.

CABINET READY BY FRIDAY.

PROBABLE NEW MINISTERS.

A POST FOR MR. CHURCHILL.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin is again Prime Minister of Great Britain. He had an audience of the King at Buckingham Palace last evening after Mr. Ramsay Macdonald had handed His Majesty the resignation of the Labour Cabinet, and accepted the task of forming a Government.

Mr. Baldwin arrived at Buckingham Palace shortly before seven o'clock and was with the King until 7.45 p.m. He afterwards had a few minutes' conversation with Lord Stamfordham, and did not leave the Palace until nearly eight o'clock.

> COURT CIRCULAR.
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> *BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Tuesday.*
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> **The Right Hon. James Ramsey Macdonald had an audience of the King this afternoon, and tendered his resignation as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, which His Majesty was graciously pleased to accept.**
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> **The Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin was received in audience by the King this evening, and, on His Majesty's invitation, undertook to form an Administration, and kissed hands upon his appointment as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury.**

He stated to a Press representative that he hoped to have his list of appointments practically complete and ready for publication on Friday morning.

LABOUR GOVERNMENT RESIGNS.

MR. BALDWIN'S CABINET.

By a Political Correspondent.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald went to Buckingham Palace with the resignation of the Labour Government shortly after 5 o'clock, and had an audience of His Majesty at 5.30. The audience lasted forty minutes. Half-an-hour after Mr. Macdonald left, Mr. Baldwin arrived. The Conservative leader saw the King at 7 o'clock, accepted the task of forming a Government, and kissed hands upon appointment as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury.

By becoming Prime Minister a second time in the same year, Mr. Baldwin establishes a record in British politics. He first became Prime Minister on May 22, 1923, and went out of office on January 22, 1924—a term of 247 days. Mr. Macdonald was Prime Minister for 287 days. Other short term Premierships in the last forty years were:—Lord Salisbury, June, 1885, to February, 1886—221 days; Mr. Gladstone, February 1886, to July, 1886 —175 days; Mr. Bonar Law, October, 1922, to May, 1923—213 days.

The list of new appointments is expected to be ready for publication in Friday's newspapers. There is much discussion in political circles as to whether it will contain the name of Mr. Churchill.

The new Cabinet is likely to include Mr. Austen Chamberlain (probably at the Foreign Office), Lord Balfour, Lord Birkenhead (as head of one of the Whitehall departments), Lord Cave (as Lord Chancellor), Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Lord Curzon, Sir W. Joynson-Hicks, and Sir Robert Horne, at the Treasury (if he can be induced to leave the city).

CABINET-MAKING.

SOME PROBABLE MINISTERS.

From "The Times" Parliamentary Correspondent.

It is understood that so far as any general changes from the last Conservative Administration are contemplated they are of a two-fold character. In the first place, the Cabinet will include, according to expectation, those Conservative ex-Ministers who stood aside at the formation of the Bonar Law Government. In the second place, it is expected that the strength of the Treasury Bench in the House of Commons will be increased, and to that extent the number of peers holding office in the Government will be reduced.

In this connection, it may be taken for granted that Lord Curzon will not return to the Foreign Office, and his place is likely to be taken by Mr. Austen Chamberlain. Other peers in the last Conservative Government were the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Derby, Lord Peel and Lord Salisbury, and some of them at all events are likely to drop out, though the offices of Lord President and Lord Privy Seal will presumably be filled from the Upper House.

The newcomers to the Ministry, in addition to Mr. Austen Chamberlain, are likely to include Lord Birkenhead and Sir Robert Horne, if the latter is in a position, as he was not a year ago, to detach himself from his business interests. Another newcomer will almost certainly be Mr. Churchill, though his inclusion has been rendered a little difficult in some Conservative quarters by the injudicious advertisement given to his return by his admirers.

It is known that Lord Birkenhead is interested in the India Office and Mr. Amery in the Colonial Office, but it by no means follows that Mr. Baldwin will be able to meet the personal wishes of all the ex-Ministers whom he desires to include.

One ex-Minister who is regarded as certain of Cabinet rank is Sir Douglas Hogg, the former Attorney-General, who may, or may not, take some other office in the new Government. The Air Ministry is known to be anxious for the return of Sir Samuel Hoare, while one of the other Service departments may be entrusted to Sir William Joynson-Hicks.

There is a strong desire in municipal circles that Mr. Neville Chamberlain shall continue the good housing work which he began at the Ministry of Health, while the need for a strong appointment to the Ministry of Labour is emphasised and understood.

The junior members of the last Conservative Government who are certain to be invited again include Mr. Ormsby-Gore, Lord Eustace Percy, Captain Walter Elliot and Lord Linlithgow.

ANOTHER ELECTION RESULT.

OXFORD (2).

1923. C. 2,950. C. 2,712. L. 2,472. Maj. 240

*Right Hon. LORD HUGH CECIL (C.)	2,901
*SIR CHARLES OMAN (C.)	2,968
Professor Gilbert Murray (Ind.)	2,832

NO CHANGE.

The election was carried out on the proportional representation system, and the distribution of Lord Hugh Cecil's surplus votes gave Sir C. Oman a majority of 136 over Professor Murray.

SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN PARIS.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Contrary to reports circulating here earlier to-day, the Soviet Ambassador in Paris will be M. Krassin, and not M. Rakovsky. The French Government has already given its assent to this appointment. Furthermore, the Soviet Government has approved of the appointment of M. Jean Herbette, formerly Foreign Editor of the *Temps*, to be French Ambassador in Moscow.

It has been agreed that the negotiations between the two Governments should begin in January next, provided that the preliminary labours of the experts are completed by that date.

ZINOVIEFF MYSTERY UNSOLVED.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

ORIGINAL LETTER NOT SEEN BY BRITISH MINISTERS.

The following official statement was issued from 10 Downing street last night:—

The Committee appointed on October 31st to examine the authenticity of the Zinovieff letter, on hearing the Departments concerned, found it impossible on the evidence before them to come to a positive conclusion on the subject.

The original letter has not been produced to, or seen by, any Government department, and the action was taken on what was not claimed to be more than a copy.

Unfortunately, in the short time available, the Committee found it impossible to obtain evidence throwing any further light on the matter.

RURAL COUNCILS.

DAIL DECIDES THAT THEY MUST GO.

By 41 votes against 20 yesterday Dail Eireann decided that the section which abolishes Rural District Councils must stand as part of the Local Government Bill.

Opposition to the section came from the Labour benches and from the Farmers' Party. It was argued that Rural Councils had done good work in the past, and that they ought to get one more chance to prove their usefulness.

The Minister for Finance declared that the time had gone when the Councils could do useful work, and that under the new scheme the administration of local affairs would be more efficient and less expensive.

The dissolution of Queenstown Urban Council brings the number of public bodies dissolved since May, 1923, to seventeen. They are:—

Kerry County Council (9th May, 1923)—Commissioner Monahan.

Leitrim County Council (29th May, 1923)—Commissioner O Siochfradha.

Mohill Rural Council (31st August, 1923)—Same Commissioner.

New Ross Urban Council (11th March, 1924)—Commissioner T. Lyne.

Dublin Corporation (20th May, 1924)—Commissioners S. Murphy, P. J. Harnon, and Dr. O'Dwyer.

King's County Council (4th September, 1924)—Commissioner D. O'Keeffe.

King's County Board of Health (4th September, 1924)—Same Commissioner.

Kilrush Urban Council (27th May, 1924)—Administered by Clare County Council.

Meelick Rural Council (27th May, 1924)—Same.

Roscommon Town Commissioners (28th February, 1924)—By Roscommon County Council.

Dublin Board of Guardians (21st November, 1923)—Commissioners MacLysaght, Dr. O'Dwyer, and Mrs. Power.

Kerry County Board of Health (8th June, 1923)—Commissioner Monahan.

Longford Board of Health (30th May, 1924)—Commissioner O Siochfradha.

Roscommon Board of Health (11th July, 1924)—Same Commissioner.

West Cork County Board of Health (8th August, 1924)—Commissioner Monahan.

Cork Corporation (30th October, 1924)—Same Commissioner.

Queenstown Urban Council (31st October, 1924)—Same Commissioner.

MACKEREL FISHING.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON IN THE SOUTH.

The Ministry for Fisheries issued a report last night which states:—The outstanding feature of the present fishing season both on the Cork and Kerry coast is the unusually large size and good quality of the mackerel, which may be the beginning of a new era in this important branch of the sea-fisheries of the Saorstat. In the past it was somewhat rare to find mackerel filling the barrel when repacked at less than 300, and it was not uncommon to find a large proportion counting from 400 to 450 fish to the barrel. This is no longer the case.

If, and it is to be hoped, the large mackerel have come to stay, a turning point for the general betterment of the industry will have been reached. Prices, the report states, have been "most encouraging for fishermen."

SUGAR BEET INDUSTRY.

MOVEMENT TO ESTABLISH IT IN CORK.

Our Cork Correspondent states that great interest has been created by the movement to establish sugar beet industries in County Cork. The Government, he says, is alive to the importance of providing employment, and also of establishing what should prove to be a series of very profitable undertakings throughout the country. The Government, however, realises the importance of establishing the industry on the soundest foundations, and of having it conducted on lines which have been so successful in other countries. Experts belonging to the Department of Lands and Agriculture, formerly the Ministry of Agriculture, have been sent to England, Belgium, and Holland to study cultivation, and get all the facts necessary in relation to sugar beet production, and their report is expected within a fortnight, or, at most, three weeks.

In a letter to a Cork citizen, Mr. J. J. Walsh, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, says:—"The Government are determined to get the Cork beet business going, and because of this they are prepared to give appreciably better terms to the industry here than have been given in England, so much so that when these terms are announced I am satisfied that there will be no difficulty in getting a number of beet industries under way. Moreover, the Government is fully alive to the necessity of getting one or two of these going this year, and there is yet sufficient time."

BANDITS ATTACK TRAIN.

ARMED OUTRAGE IN POLAND.

WARSAW, Tuesday.

This morning, near Baranowitz, in the Eastern borderlands, a passenger train was attacked by about fifty bandits from across the border, who, armed with machine guns and hand grenades, robbed the mail carriage, containing pay for railway workmen. Some of the passengers who were robbed by the bandits resisted, and during the fight one policeman was killed and several passengers were wounded.—(Reuter.)

SPANISH TREASURY BONDS.

BIG RUSH FOR NEW ISSUE.

MADRID, Tuesday.

Subscription lists for a new issue of Treasury Bonds opened here to-day. By four o'clock in the afternoon in Madrid alone the number of applications were more than ten times in excess of the amount required. The Bonds were issued at 5 per cent., redeemable in four years at a premium of 1 per cent., the amount of the issue being 1,275,000 pesetas.—(Reuter.)

OPENING OF UNIVERSITY OF JASSY.

BUCHAREST, Tuesday.

The new term at the University of Jassy has opened without disturbance. Reuter's Agency adds that disorders had been feared among the students. The Prefect of Police at Jassy was shot dead on October 27 by a student, and two policemen who attempted to protect their chief were wounded.—(Reuter.)

FREE STATE REVENUE.

HEAVY EXCHEQUER ISSUES.

The feature of the Free State revenue return for the week ending November 1 is on the expenditure side. The Central Fund required £16,738, or £23,365 less than last week, but the Supply Services disposed of £2,461,350, or £2,345,250 more than last week, the total being £2,478,088

Compared with 156,003

Increase £2,322,085

INCOME.

The Income for the week at £451,058 shows a decrease of £12,737 on the previous week's receipts. The details are:—

	Last Week. £	Previous Week. £
Customs	169,000	283,000
Excise	75,000	100,000
Motor Vehicles	—	8,000
Estate Duties	8,000	22,000
Stamps	9,000	1,000
Income Tax	87,000	30,000
Corporation Tax	—	3,000
Excess Profits	—	—
Post Office	150,000	—
Land and Sundry	12,893	12,443
Other Receipts	109,165	86,352
	£451,058	£463,795
Decrease	£12,737	

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

The balance in the Exchequer last week was £5,896,516

This week 3,847,786

Decrease £2,048,630

The difference between "Other Receipts" and "Other Issues" leaves a balance of £22,000 against the latter, this sum having been repaid to Public Departments and Ways and Means advances. The excess of £2,027,030 expenditure over receipts, plus £22,000, represents the fall in the Exchequer balance.

1923-1924.

From April 1 to November 1 the receipts, plus £3,394,512 brought in, amounts to £19,350,521, as compared with £21,289,112 in the same period of 1923.

The total Exchequer issues from April 1 to November 1 amounted to £15,502,735 as against £20,729,066 in 1923.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

The following are the receipts into and issues out of the Exchequer between the 1st April, 1924, and the 1st November, 1924:—

Revenue and other Receipts.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from April 1, 1924, to Nov. 1, 1924. £	April 1, 1923, to Nov. 3, 1923. £
Revenue.		
Customs	4,540,000	4,614,000
Excise	4,630,000	6,198,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	171,500	172,000
Estate, etc., Duties	404,000	594,000
Stamps	236,000	270,000
Property and Income Tax (including Super Tax and Mineral Rights Duty)	2,902,000	2,413,000
Corporation Profits Tax	118,000	265,000
Excess Profits Tax	2,000	29,000
Post Office	1,000,000	850,000
Miscellaneous—Receipts on account of Land Purchase Annuities and Sundry Loans	445,986	1,420,763
Other Receipts	600,023	794,237
Total Revenue	15,049,509	17,615,000
Other Receipts.		
Repayment of Temporary Advances—Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	20,000	—
Money raised by Creation of Debt—By Irish Free State Bills	—	1,714,000
By Savings Certificates	199,500	308,000
Ways & Means Advances—By Public Departments	687,000	1,455,000
Total Receipts	15,956,009	21,092,000
Balance in Exchequer on April 1, 1924, and April 1, 1923	3,394,512	197,112
Total	19,350,521	21,289,112

Expenditure and other Issues.	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet payments from April 1, 1924, to Nov. 1, 1924. £	April 1, 1923, to Nov. 3, 1923. £
Expenditure.		
Central Fund Services	1,300,415	487,216
Supply Services	13,107,520	20,061,350
Total Expenditure	14,407,935	20,548,566
Other Issues.		
Temporary Advances—Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	104,000	177,000
Savings Certificates paid off	56,800	3,500
Irish Free State Bills paid off	814,000	—
Ways and Means Advances Repaid—Public Departments	120,000	—
Total Issues	15,502,735	20,729,066
Balance in Exchequer on 1st November, 1924, and 3rd November, 1923	3,847,786	560,046
Total	19,350,521	21,289,112

BRITISH REVENUE RETURNS.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for 1924-1925. £	April 1, 1924, to Nov. 1, 1924. £
Customs	101,800,000	58,748,000
Excise	135,900,000	77,172,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	15,600,000	4,611,000
Estate, etc., Duties	56,000,000	35,480,000
Stamps	21,000,000	11,250,000
Land Tax, etc.	1,250,000	660,000
Income Tax	265,000,000	120,849,000
Super Tax	61,000,000	26,370,000
Excess Profits Duty	8,000,000	—
Corporation Profits Tax	20,000,000	9,990,000
Post Office	53,500,000	31,900,000
Crown Lands	900,000	630,000
Interest on Loans	12,250,000	8,063,646
Miscellaneous—		
Ordinary Receipts	11,850,000	7,045,420
Special Receipts	30,000,000	16,168,261
Total	794,050,000	408,937,327

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for 1924-1925. £	April 1, 1924, to Nov. 1, 1924. £
National Debt Services	350,000,000	210,098,437
Road Fund	15,000,000	3,876,044
Payments to Local Taxation	13,150,000	5,837,891
Payments to Northern Ireland	3,800,000	2,702,484
Land Settlement	750,000	354,282
Other Consolidated Fund Services	2,440,000	1,415,062
Supply Services	405,186,000	214,250,512
Total	790,026,000	438,534,712

AMERICAN SHIPS AND FRANCE.

CHERBOURG AS MAIN EUROPEAN BASE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CHERBOURG, Tuesday

It appears that the American shipping lines are resolved to make Cherbourg the main base of their traffic in Europe instead of as at present a mere port of call. One of the great companies which is in close relation with the United States Shipping Board has addressed to the Chamber of Commerce a request to be informed whether, and under what conditions it might count on being able to berth the Leviathan here instead of, as now, at Southampton.

It is clear that such a proposal is of the highest importance, and must interest the commercial community in England as vitally, at least, as Cherbourg itself. Preliminary examination has already been begun on the problems to be solved. Certain members of the Cherbourg Chamber of Commerce have long wished to make of Cherbourg a deep-water port, and if they had had their way the project, which is far from realisation, would have already been completed.

BRAZILIAN NAVAL MUTINY.

CREW DECAMPS WITH A BATTLESHIP.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Tuesday.

An official Note confirms the report that a mutiny has broken out on the Sao Paulo. The Minister of Marine, Admiral De Alencar, has assumed command of the ships which remain faithful to the Government, and is confident of his ability to suppress the mutiny.—(Reuter.)

Later.

It is officially announced that the rebel torpedo boat Goyas has surrendered to the Government. The battleship Sao Paulo has left the port for an unknown destination.—(Reuter.)

RESCUE WORK BY BONFIRES.

14 DEAD IN L.M.S. EXPRESS DISASTER.

ENGINE-DRIVER'S HEROISM.

SHUT OFF STEAM BEFORE HIS DEATH.

Fourteen dead, two seriously injured, and 35 slightly injured, is the present casualty record for the Liverpool-Blackpool express disaster, at Wrea Green, near Lytham, on Monday night.

Strenuous rescue work, in which three hundred men took part, went on all night by the light of acetylene flares and bonfires, and by the afternoon the bodies of all the victims had been recovered.

A business man who was in the train said that the scene after the disaster was terrible. "I went through the war, but I never had an experience like that," he added.

The inquest on the victims is expected to open to-day.

ACCIDENT THEORIES.

ALL-NIGHT SEARCH FOR VICTIMS.

From Our Special Correspondent.

LYTHAM, Wednesday.

The disaster appears to have been in the most complete sense an accident. Expert engineers of the company—the London, Midland and Scottish—have expressed the view, after examining the permanent way and the *débris*, that it was due either to a flaw in one of the axles of the locomotive, or to the dropping of the brake auxiliary air tank, slung beneath the engine.

It is also worth noting that a steel tyre from one of the front wheels of the engine has been found at a considerable distance, as though it had left the wheel while the train was travelling at high speed and flown off at a tangent—whether before or after the derailment is a point for the experts to decide.

HEROIC DRIVER.

The driver—William Crook, of Blackpool—stuck to his crippled engine bravely. When the overturned locomotive came to be examined this morning it was found that steam had been shut off and the vacuum brakes applied. It was not till 9 a.m. that one of the giant cranes shifted the engine as it lay on its side. Crook's body was found beneath it.

He must have had a terrible experience, for the train travelled several hundred yards after the first jolt, until it broke its couplings, swung right round, and turned right over, having rebounded from the solid brick signal box, into which it ran full tilt.

SIGNALMAN'S ANXIETY.

There are points at the signal box, and it was apparently these which reversed the derailed locomotive. The rest of the train staggered on for another 50 yards before two of the carriages turned over sideways.

The signal box was reduced to a mere mound of rubbish. Some of its smaller fragments are to be found far away in the fields.

William Hornby, the signalman, was handling the levers when the crash came, and he was hurled into a field well clear of the wreckage. Picking himself up he ran headlong for some distance, with hands covering his face, from which blood was streaming. Recovering from the shock, he returned to the scene of the accident to find out what had happened to his signal box, and was taken on an ambulance to Lytham Hospital.

He absolutely refused, however, to stay for more than an hour or so, declaring again and again: "I must go and report what has happened." As he did not seem to be seriously injured he was sent home in a taxi-cab.

Frank Livingstone, fireman of the express, also had a narrow escape. He was flung into a brook, and scrambled out dripping wet, but otherwise little the worse.

SECOND TRAIN STOPPED.

Working by the light of acetylene flares and bonfires, the breakdown gangs had succeeded by daybreak in clearing the line of everything except the locomotive, and the four 25-ton coaches now lie in a ditch at the bottom of the shallow embankment.

As the coaches were moved it became evident that a number of passengers had tried to jump from the rocking and rolling train, and that two of the coaches had turned over just as they were doing so. They were thus crushed to death or severely injured. But for the presence of mind of four of the passengers—one of them a woman—the horrors of the disaster might well have been doubled. Realising that another train was due, they ran down the line and succeeded in stopping it.

SURVIVOR'S STORY.

Mrs. Violet French, of Hellifield, gave me a clear account of her experiences as a passenger. "At a quarter to six," she said, "when we were still a mile and a half from Lytham, I opened the window to get a breath of air, and just as I was putting my head out the train began to sway violently. Then there came a series of bumps, as though the wheels were passing over the sleepers. Looking in the direction of the engine I saw a great ball of fire and smoke, and then heard a fearful crash.

"Our carriage began to heel over, and I flung myself to the ground. Four or five mill girls who had got on at Kirkham did the same. The next thing I remember is that someone near me was moaning: 'Oh, I am crushed; take me out.' The poor thing's head had been caught between two pieces of wood.

"Then a man shouted: 'Help is coming,' and a few moments later the panels were being smashed with a crowbar, and the splinters of wood that prevented us from moving were being dragged away."

THE VICTIMS.

Of the dead, thirteen have been identified. The following is a list of the victims:—

DEAD.

Miss Ethel Cox, 32, weaver, Central Drive, Blackpool.

Commander Charles Graeme, 50, Lincoln road, Blackpool (broken leg and severed foot). Died in hospital.

Miss Isa Greenwood, 29, weaver, Thames road, South Shore, Blackpool.

Miss Annie Greenwood, 29, sister of Miss Isa Greenwood, of the same address, also a weaver.

Thomas Hartley, Montrose avenue, Blackpool.

Miss Emma Pickup, 48, weaver, Park road, Lytham.

Miss Margaret Pickup, 59, sister of Miss Emma Pickup, of the same address.

E. Pickup, goods guard, of Hall avenue, Blackpool.

Ernest Tongue, Leamington road, Blackpool.

William Welsh, 33, St. Anne's road, Blackpool.

Mary Morrison, Watson's lane, Blackpool.

William Crook, Buchanan street, Blackpool—driver of the express.

Leslie Dawson, a sailor, Church street, Blackpool.

INJURED.

The injured include:—

Mrs. Elliott, Lytham road, St. Anne's, Blackpool—body injuries.

— Graham, Station road, Blackpool—head injuries.

R. Hall, Gothic House, All Saints' road, St. Anne's—Leg injuries and shock.

W. Livingstone, Cunliffe road, Blackpool—the fireman.

Miss Lettie Herbert, Albert road, Blackpool.

Signalman Hornby, Kirkham, near Lytham.

H. Oldham, St. Hillier's road, Blackpool.

Mrs. Richardson, Eaves street, Blackpool.

Captain Mark Schaffer, J.P., Liverpool.

W. Waddicore, Baron road, Blackpool.

Of the injured treated at Lytham Cottage Hospital, only three were detained last night—Mrs. Richardson, Mr. H. Oldham and Mr. R. Hall.

The King and Queen of Italy, accompanied by the Crown Prince, have returned to Rome from San Rossore, their summer residence.

THE FIRST AERIAL STOWAWAY.

MAN WHO WANTED TO SEE HIS FAMILY.

OTTAWA, Tuesday.

What is probably the first case of an aerial stowaway is reported from Angliers, Quebec, by the pilot of a seaplane on the new air service from Angliers to the New Rouyn goldfields.

When returning from Rouyn this morning the pilot found the machine tail heavy, and made the trip to Angliers with difficulty. On arrival at his destination he searched the machine and discovered the stowaway in the hull.

The man explained that he was anxious to see his wife and children, and so had adopted this perilous means of achieving his wish.

It is not proposed, however, to take any action against him.—(Reuter.)

POLITICAL NOTES.

BOUNDARY COMMISSION

By Our Political Correspondent.

Dr. John MacNeill, the Free State Minister for Education, leaves Dublin for London this morning to attend the first sitting of the Boundary Commission. He will be accompanied, it is understood, by Mr. Byrne, the Attorney-General, and two or three officials from the North-East Boundary Bureau, Serjeant Hanna, K.C., and Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., have been retained as counsel for the Free State Government, but it is improbable that either of them will attend to-morrow's sitting, which is merely to determine the form of procedure.

It is not yet known whether counsel will be allowed to plead the cases of their respective Governments, or whether they will attend the sittings of the Commission in purely advisory capacities.

It is expected that after a few meetings in London the Commission will go to the border to take evidence and to examine for themselves the economic and geographic conditions.

With the selection of Professor Michael Tierney as the Cumann na nGaedheal candidate for North Mayo the list of Republican and Ministerial nominees in the five by-elections is complete. The Cumann na nGaedheal campaign will be begun in real earnest on Sunday next. A comprehensive programme of meetings has been arranged for the five constituencies, and the names of two members of the Cabinet have been provisionally included in the list of speakers.

The Republicans will concentrate on Mayo, East Cork and South Dublin, and their organisers in these constituencies claim that they will be able to wrest all three from the possession of the Ministerial Party. The general belief, however, is that, with the possible exception of North Mayo, the Cumann na nGaedheal nominee will be successful in every constituency.

It is improbable that the writs for the remaining nine or ten vacancies will be moved before the end of the present month.

The Dail meets to-day to consider the Committee stages of three fairly important measures. They are:—The Live Stock Breeding Bill, the Public Holidays Bill, and the Seed Supply Bill. There is also tabled for consideration a motion by Mr. Patrick McKenna, asking that a special committee, consisting of nine deputies, should be appointed to inquire into the system under which the Old Age Pensions Act is being administered in the Free State.

MECCA AND MEDINA.

FUTURE OF THE HOLY CITIES.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BAGHDAD, Tuesday.

Sultan Ibn Saud has issued invitations to the Grand Kadir of Egypt, the Sheiks of Yemen, Koweit, and Bahrein, the Prince of Muscat, certain Mohammedan Indian Princes, Persian Ulimas, and the religious heads of Baghdad, to a conference at Ryad, the capital of Nejd, to discuss the future administration of the Hejaz and the holy cities of Mecca and Medina. Out of respect to King Feisal, son of the former King of the Hejaz, it is not anticipate dthat the religious heads of Baghdad will accept the invitation. It is believed here that Sultan Ibn Saud has decided not to occupy Jeddah.

PEKIN FORCES DEFEATED.

LAWLESS BANDS OF ROVING SOLDIERS.

PEKIN, Tuesday.

The military situation has now become clearer. After a brief resistance the troops near Tientsin, under Wu Pei-fu, the Chih-li commander, surrendered to superior forces commanded by Feng Yu-hsiang, the "Christian General." Wu retired east by rail. His remaining troops concentrated at Lutai, on the Tientsin-Mukden line, twenty miles north of Taku, and are now threatened by the Mukden forces from the north and Feng Yu-hsiang's from the west. In the absence of reinforcements from the south, any further resistance of Wu's troops is hopeless. Wu himself, it is reported, boarded a Chinese cruiser yesterday, and was trying to embark the remnant of his forces for transport southwards. There is no confirmation of a report that he has sailed.

Telegraphic connection with Tientsin is interrupted, but, according to wireless reports, batches of Wu's disorganised soldiers are looting the villages. The foreign garrison is guarding the concession at Tientsin.

The President, Tsao Kun, having resigned, a provisional Cabinet, according to precedent, is functioning in his place, pending a conference of the leaders, as proposed by Feng Yu-hsiang. Chang Tso-lin, the Manchurian commander, has announced his intention of attending, and there is a considerable desire to know whether he will bring his force and share the occupation of the capital with Feng. These two are now the dominating military figures in China, and the future depends on their amicable co-operation.

The Yangtsze and the other central fu are now in a delicate position, as their provinces which hitherto supported Wu Pei-fu's opponents in the civil war have won the day and are supreme in Pekin. Chi Hsieh-yuan, the Military Governor of Kiang-su, in particular, is in the bad books of the conquerors, as he had originated the struggle by his attack on Che-kiang, rather than surrender his position. He may make common cause with Wu Pei-fu, if Wu escapes, and organise a coalition of independent provinces. However matters may develop in the future, it remains that the country has suffered a severe economic setback in consequence of the war and the extensive floods this summer. There is a general desire for a cessation of strife and resumption of trade. Nearly the whole railway mileage of the country has been subordinated for two months to military requirements. The reorganisation of the passenger and goods services will take time, as the rolling stock is much damaged.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

ARMED RAID IN DUBLIN.

Two armed men entered Mr. Lenehan's publichouse at 79 Prussia street, Dublin, at about 7 o'clock last night and "held up" the assistants. They attempted unsuccessfully to open the cash register, and then left.

149 COMMUNISTS FOR TRIAL.

REVAL, Tuesday.

The trial will begin on November 10, before a court-martial, here of 149 Communists accused of preparing a *coup d'etat*. It is reported that the Communists of Esthonia, in accordance with instructions from Moscow, will demonstrate on a large scale. The authorities have taken measures to maintain order. The Moscow advocates, Maliantovitch, Mouravieff and Rubinstein have telegraphed to the Court asking to be allowed to undertake the defence of the accused men.—(Reuter.)

QUEENSTOWN CRIME ARRESTS.

ALL PRISONERS DISCHARGED.

COUNSEL'S STATEMENT.

The eight men who were arrested in Dublin last week for complicity in the murder of Private Aspinall, of the Royal Army Service Corps, at Queenstown in March last, were discharged by Mr. Cussen in the Southern District Court, Dublin, yesterday. This unexpected result of a case which had aroused much interest gave rise to scenes of jubilation in the court, where there were many of the friends of the accused men.

A large force of plain-clothes and uniformed police was on duty near the entrance to the Bridewell, and great precautions were taken to prevent disturbances of any kind.

The names of the accused men were:—Matthew Connolly, 32 years, a motor driver, 3 Crawford terrace, Ballybough; William Keane, 26 years, a clerk, 27 Moyne road, Rathmines; Edward O'Rourke, 27 years, a labourer, 3 Irvine terrace, East road; Patrick Mullaly, 28 years, motor driver, 17 South Summer street; John Byrne, 26 years, motor driver, 1 Nicholas avenue, Church street; Arthur Kelly, 22 years, compositor, 16 Hanover street, West; John Harrington (*alias* O'Brien), 24 years, insurance agent, 7 Camden row, and Joseph O'Connor, 42 years, a clerk, 32a Road, Fairbrothers' Field, Dublin.

THE CHARGE.

The charge against the first five men was that they did, prior to March 21 last, conspire to murder certain persons, and that they did proceed to Queenstown and there murder, on March 21, Herbert Aspinall, a private in the British Army, R.A.S.C., by shooting him with machine-guns; and also that they did attempt to murder divers other persons.

The three last-named prisoners were charged with counselling, procuring and commanding the first five men to murder certain persons.

When brought before the justice last week all of the accused men denied the charges.

Mr. Charles Bewley (instructed by the State Solicitor) appeared for the State.

Mr. Joseph O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. Crowley and Bolger) represented William Keane; Mr. E. H. Burne appeared for Arthur Kelly and John Byrne; Mr. Sean O hUadhaigh was for Matthew Connolly, Edward O'Rourke, Patrick Mullaly and Joseph O'Connor. John Harrington was not professionally represented.

STATEMENT BY COUNSEL.

When the case was called, Mr. Bewley said—At the previous hearing prisoners had no evidence given against them except formal evidence of arrest. The arrests were effected in consequence of certain information which came to the knowledge of the police authorities. I think I may say that, in view of that information, the police authorities had no option but to effect their arrests. In consequence of these arrests the authorities made further investigations, which were very necessary, not only for the detection of the crime, but also in justice to the prisoners themselves. The results of these investigations have been very carefully considered, and the authorities have come to the conclusion that they would not be justified in proceeding any further with the case.

Mr. Cussen—I am very glad to hear it.

The announcement was greeted by cheers and hand-clapping.

Mr. Cussen—There must be silence here. I will not permit any disturbance.

NO COMPLAINTS.

Turning to Keane, the Justice asked about his complaint of ill-treatment while in custody, and inquired if everything was now all right.

Keane—Yes, sir; everything. I am quite satisfied.

Mr. Cussen said that he had received a letter from the Governor of Mountjoy Prison, stating that he was not present at the time of the alleged ill-treatment.

Keane—That is right. It was in regard to the Bridewell that I made the complaint.

Mr. Cussen—That is all right, and, in view of what has been said, I have no option but to discharge the accused.

The cheering was renewed at this point, and women rushed over to embrace the released men as they walked from the Court.

The entire proceedings did not last more than ten minutes.

RHINE VALLEY FLOOD.

ALARMING SITUATION IN COLOGNE.

COLOGNE, Tuesday.

The floods in the Rhine Valley are increasing in severity. The river has risen a further four feet, and its level is now twenty-five feet above the normal. Navigation and riverside traffic have been completely suspended, the only means of transport being by boats or punts, except where the authorities have laid down wooden gangways to enable residents to enter and leave houses in streets adjacent to the river, which would otherwise be inaccessible.

An emergency dyke, which had been erected to protect the new harbour works, has collapsed and allowed the flood to inundate the whole of the works, thereby rendering many hundreds of workmen idle. Near Duisburg a huge timber raft from the Upper Rhine dragged its anchors and collided with a number of barges, which broke loose and were all swept down the stream. The raft broke up, while several barges were damaged. The wreckage dashed into the steamer Otto, of Hull, which sank with 3,500 tons of coal on board.

On the right bank of the river the water invaded the British military barracks, and may possibly compel their evacuation, while several other buildings occupied by the British are suffering severely from the floods, including the Navy, Army and Air Force Institute Canteen near the Hohenzollern bridge.

Enormous damage is reported from the Moselle valley, Coblenz, Mannheim, Bonn, and intermediate towns. There are as yet no indications that the waters of the Upper Rhine are subsiding.—(Reuter.)

MARNE VILLAGES EVACUATED.

RHEIMS, Tuesday.

The floods are assuming serious proportions and the Marne has already passed the water-mark reached in the floods of 1910. More than 800 families in this neighbourhood have had their homes flooded. Several villages have been evacuated, and are entirely cut off by the rising floods, which have rendered a number of roads impassable.—(Reuter.)

WIRELESS IN GERMANY.

GREAT BROADCASTING STATION FOR BERLIN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

A huge radio tower, 460 feet high, and modelled after the Eiffel Tower in Paris, is being built in Berlin by one of the big radio companies. The tower will be used for broadcasting throughout the whole of the Berlin area. As Berlin has no high point from which a view of the entire city can be obtained, the promoters also plan to make the radio tower an official observation post.

Elevators will carry passengers to the observation platform, which will be situated at a distance of 440 feet from the ground. A restaurant built in the tower, at a height of 200 feet from the ground, is also being included, to accommodate 250 guests. The latest registration figures show that there are more than 350,000 wireless sets in use throughout Germany. The Government has nine stations which cover the entire country.

ENGLISHMAN MURDERED IN PERSIA.

TEHERAN, Tuesday.

The British subject named Cox, who was murdered at Konartakhteh on October 31, was the chauffeur of a passenger motor car on the Shiraz-Bushire road. The car broke down near Konartakhteh, whither Cox went on foot to obtain assistance. It is alleged, according to a Persian version of the occurrence, that in the course of an altercation Cox struck and killed a headman, a relative of whom subsequently shot Cox dead.—(Reuter.)

LATE NEWS.

LABOUR'S NEW ROLE

HIS MAJESTY'S OPPOSITION.

The Times, in a leading article upon the resignation of the Labour Ministry, observes:—The whole country is concerned in the character of what we sometimes rather strangely call His Majesty's Opposition. It is obviously desirable that the criticism of Ministers, which is such a necessary part of our political system, should be reasonable, and should come from responsible men, to whom the great middle forces of the country, who really decide elections, could look without alarm for the formation of an alternative Government. The Liberals cannot at present perform either of these functions of an Opposition, for though they polled nearly three million votes they have less than fifty members of the House. If there is to be a real Opposition, it must come, as things are, from the Labour Party. The question is whether they can provide the sane and responsible criticism for which every Government is the better, and whether they can so conduct the Opposition as to make it possible for the country to think of them as capable some day of providing an alternative Government.

As things are now, neither Mr. Macdonald nor his colleagues are likely for some time to be given the chance of recovering office. For the moment, Liberalism is non-existent and Labour impossible. That is not a healthy state of things; but it must continue until either Liberalism has renewed its strength, or Labour, and especially its leaders, have gone through a process of purgation by modesty, by contact with realities, and by acceptance of the traditional English method and spirit, both in home and in foreign affairs.

WHEN LABOUR RULED.

SOME CAUSES OF ITS FALL.

The Times Parliamentary Correspondent, writing in regard to the work of the late Labour Government, states:—History will probably record that the Government reached its peak with the introduction of the Budget, which was apparently moderate and attractive, though in reality it was open to considerable objection in that it depleted the National Exchequer, and did little, if anything, to reduce the heavy burden of taxation on industry. But after the Budget a period of reaction set in. Disappointment at the failure of the Government to grapple with the problem of unemployment, for which it had loudly proclaimed that it had a positive remedy, and uneasiness at the episode of the biscuit shares, concerning which the Prime Minister was treated with notable chivalry by his political opponents, were followed by the gradual realisation that the extremists had at last obtained a controlling voice in the counsels of the Government.

FRENCH TRADE WITH GERMANY.

CONFERENCE TO BE RESUMED IN PARIS TO-DAY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The delegation representing Germany in the negotiations for the proposed commercial Treaty between France and Germany arrived in Paris to-night, and work will be resumed at the point where it was interrupted a month ago.

It will be remembered that the chief difficulty encountered was Germany's insistence that she should be accorded here the most favoured nation treatment for her exports, and it is feared that this may still constitute an obstacle to rapid progress.

THE BOUNDARY.

COMMISSION LIKELY TO SIT FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.

The proceedings of the Irish Boundary Commission, which will hold its first meeting to-morrow, are expected, says the *Daily Mail*, to last several months. A considerable part of the work is likely to have to be carried out on the actual ground affected.

NEW LAWS STOLEN.

THIEF PROMISED IMMUNITY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Tuesday.

The draft of the new reforms proposed in the Turkish code of law by the Government Commission, which has been sitting several months, was stolen last night from the Commission reporter, who was carrying it home in a napkin. The thief, believing the napkin contained paper money, seized it and ran. It is proposed to advertise for the draft, which contains voluminous fundamental reforms in the direcion of modernisation, promising the thief immunity. Otherwise the Commission must recommence work.—*Daily Mail* Correspondent.

DATE OF THE NEW SESSION.

The *Daily Mail* Political Correspondent says:—In view of the shortness of the time available to members of the new Cabinet to gather up the threads of work in their new departments and for the framing of the King's Speech, it is probable that the meeting of Parliament will be postponed. In these circumstances Parliament would be formally opened by the King on Monday, December 1st.

EVIL RUMOUR.

The source of a rumour is as difficult to trace as the source of a river. Great rivers have small beginnings. The Shannon rises in a narrow ditch that flows out of a black pool in a lonely peat bog, says the *Daily Express*, in a leading article. There is in circulation since the general election a rumour which is daiy growing in volume. It takes the form of a suggestion that wages will be reduced as a consequence of the advent of a Conservative Government with a majority of 226. The origin of this unfounded rumour cannot be traced. It is like the Shannon. It flows out of some murky pool in some solitary wilderness. But it is growing broader and deeper every day. The sooner it is exposed the better. There is no truth in the insinuation whatever that under Conservative rule an attack will be made upon the wages of the working classes.

THE CABINET.

According to the Political Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, Mr. Baldwin last night sent letters of invitation to those who are his first choice for some of the high posts in the new Government. It is anticipated that by to-morrow he will be in a position to submit to the King the list of his complete Cabinet. Mr. Baldwin's selections for the most important posts may entail his requesting some of his former leading colleagues to occupy positions which, in their opinion, may be inadequate, having regard to their past service.

LIVERPOOL SELECTIONS.

SPORTING LIFE.

1.15—The Bleeks.	2.45—Flying Spear c.
1.45—Roman Fiddle.	3.15—Civic Guard.
2.15—King of Clubs, nap.	3.15—St. Germans.

"MAN ON THE SPOT."

1.15—Bright's Boy.	2.45—Miss Megan.
1.45—Roman Fiddle.	3.15—Arcade, nap.
2.15—Americus Boy.	3.45—St. Germans.

SPORTING LIFE.

1.15—Red Splash; if ab., Poole's selected.	2.45—Little Mark, e.w.
	3.45—St. Germans.

GERMAN CANCER RESEARCH DISCOVERY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

An important discovery in cancer cure research is announced by the German Medical Association of Breslau. It is declared that Councillor Blumenthal has discovered not one single, but a group, of various baccili parasites of cancer. Animals have been infected, and tumors bred through eight generations, with the same culture.

MR. COOLIDGE LEADING.

U.S. PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS.

MR. DAVIS SECOND.

FIRST RETURNS SHOW GOOD MAJORITY.

The first returns in the United States Presidential elections from such widely scattered points as Massachusetts, Illinois and Kansas show large gains in favour of President Coolidge. While there are insufficient returns to indicate any definite result, the partial figures received up to a late hour this morning show that the voting is going much as was anticipated.

The South is mainly for Mr. Davis (says Reuter).

The candidates are:—

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.

For President—Mr. Calvin Coolidge (the present President).

For Vice-President—General Dawes.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

For President—Mr. John W. Davis (formerly United States Ambassador to London).

For Vice-President—Mr. Charles W. Bryan.

PROGRESSIVE NOMINEES.

For President—Senator La Follette (the third party leader).

For Vice-President—Senator Burton K. Wheeler.

A New York message, received at 3 a.m. to-day, says:—The *World*, the Democratic organ, concedes the election to Mr. Coolidge.

14 TO 1 ON COOLIDGE.

WALL STREET BETTING ON THE RESULT.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

Whirlwind weeks of platform oratory, broadcast messages, violent denunciations, charges and counter-charges, intensive strategical operations, fierce pleading for votes—is finished.

To-day the electorate of the United States is choosing—

A President and Vice-President for the term of four years.

Members of the House of Representatives in 435 districts, or a complete new House.

Thirty-two Senators (or one-third of the membership of the Upper House).

Governors in 35 States.

Under the American Federal system, the voters do not vote directly for Presidential candidates, but for "electors," who technically elect the President. These "electors" will meet in their separate States on January 10 and cast their official votes. These votes must then be certified and forwarded to Washington, where they will be counted by the President of the Senate in the presence of both Houses of Congress. This will be done on February 11.

> **While no official figures are available, all indications go to show that President Coolidge will be re-elected by a sweeping majority.**—(Reuter.)

The choice of the Vice-President, in case of a deadlock, rests with the Senate, which chooses from the two candidates having the highest number of votes. If the House has failed to elect a President, a Vice-President chosen by the Senate automatically becomes President of the United States.

President Coolidge is favourite, the betting in favour of him being elected for the further term of four years as President of the United States, is to-day 14 to 1, according to Wall Street indications.

Late last night both President Coolidge and Mr. J. W. Davis delivered final pre-election addresses by radio to millions of voters. There are over fifty million voters, about half the number women voters, who are entitled to vote in the present Presidential election.

KEEP COOL WITH COOLIDGE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Thirty million people, including a large number of women, are expected to vote. Polling began early. It lasts from six in the morning till six at night in New York, and the heaviest poll was registered early in the day. In the smaller towns, factories began work an hour later than usual.

New York is almost deserted and bathed in balmy sunshine. A band of small boys is parading Broadway. Through the otherwise silent city their noise comes up to a 25-storey window.

The slogan, "Keep cool with Coolidge," seems to be translated to-day into "Keep cool with or without Coolidge."

The candidates are all resting at home. There will be the usual excitement among the crowds in the street to-night, but the fact that the election is a foregone conclusion will damp the enthusiasm.

Results will be thrown on screens and will be late.

LONDON EXPLOSION.

DIRECTOR AMONG THE INJURED.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Three men were injured and other people had narrow escapes, following an explosion and fire at the Adey Punctureproof Rubber Works, Princeton street, Theobald's road, London, to-night.

The injured were:—

Colonel Hon. Philip Henderson, of Gloucester square, director of the firm (burns and cuts on head and face and hands).

Captain C. E. Curtis, of Blackheath (cuts in back of head, and shock).

— Piper, works foreman, of Mitcham (bruises and shock).

Colonel Frank Summers, of Exeter street, Strand (another director), and an errand boy, were in the building, but were not hurt.

Considerable damage was done to the premises, which consist of three floors.

It is understood that experimental work was being conducted on the premises at the time of the explosion.

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FALL OF PIT ROOF.

TEN MINERS ENTOMBED.

RELEASE EXPECTED TO-DAY.

News was received at Whitehaven yesterday morning of the entombing of ten iron ore miners in Lord Leconfield's croft pit at Bigrigg, near Whitehaven. On Monday afternoon twelve men had descended the pit, and were proceeding along the main haulage road when an extensive fall of roof occurred. Two men, Joseph Kitchen and Thomas Nicholson, were blown off their feet, but escaped uninjured to a shaft about 400 yards away. Rescue parties, which were immediately formed, met with great difficulty.

The entombed men are John Glover, married; G. Armstrong, single; William Shepherd, married; J. Walsh, married; Thomas Donaldson, married; William Armstrong, married; J. Stephenson, married; J. Waring, married; J. Shepherd, married; and Benjamin Hardshey, married. A small band of relatives of the men spent a night vigil at the pit head in hard frost.

News from the pit last night stated that clearer communication has been established with the ten miners, but that owing to the difficulties confronting the rescue parties it was not expected that the men would be finally liberated until a late hour. The first concern of the imprisoned men was the fate of their two mates, Nicholson and Kitchen, who had a miraculous escape, and their relief was great on learning that both men were taking part in the rescue operations.

Asked by their rescuers as to their immunity from injury when such an extensive fall had taken place, the men replied that they had found a safe retreat in a strong drift. Owing to the bad root the rescuers have had to drive through the *débris* by a more circuitous route, and this has entailed delay. All preparations are made for providing the men, who carried only enough food to last them till 10 o'clock on Monday night, with a meal and with medical attention, should the latter be required. Local people have also lent their cars for the purpose of conveying the men home when released.

The Croft pit employs about eighty men, of whom only twelve were working in the level where the fall occurred.

LICENSED GROCERS' ASSOCIATION.

THE INTOXICATING LIQUOR BILL.

Mr. Patrick Conway, Chairman, presided at a general meeting of the Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Association, in the Concert Hall of the Catholic Club, Dublin, yesterday.

The General Secretary (Mr. O'Byrne) made a detailed report on the passage of the Intoxicating Liquor Bill through Committee in the Dail. He said that, with the exception of the structural separation clause, which had been defeated by a large majority, the bill, in its general outline, had been only slightly altered.

The Chairman said he thought it only right to enter his most emphatic protest on behalf of the trade of the country against the atmosphere of injustice and unfairness to their trade which had been created in the Dail by the attitude and speeches of Messrs. Johnson, Hewat and Good. One would think from the speeches of those men that the licensed house had a degrading and demoralising influence on the minds of young people, that they would hear and learn things that were bad for their morals and general character, and that, in short, the licensed house was an unclean place and the business an unclean thing.

It was painful for him and others associated with him to have to attend the debates and listen to the voluntary insults to which their trade was subjected. He, however, believed that such attacks had found no echo in the hearts and minds of the great masses of the people who knew the facts. Their best thanks were due to Alderman Byrne, T.D.; Mr. Gorey, T.D.; Mr. Dalton, T.D.; and other just-minded men for their fair and manly speeches.

DOWN DIOCESAN SYNOD.

"A TIME OF MORAL AND INTELLECTUAL UNSETTLEMENT."

The Bishop (Right Rev. C. T. P. Grierson) presiding at the annual meeting of the Diocesan Synod of Down and Connor and Dromore, in the Clarence Place Hall, Belfast, yesterday, stated that within the twelve months he had confirmed 1,238 boys and 1,508 girls. In several cases he had the joy of confirming fathers and mothers along with their children. Two ordinations were held within the year, and eleven deacons were added to the clerical staff. Some clergy, however, had left for work elsewhere. "It seems to me," he added, "to be clear that more and more in the future this diocese and the Archdiocese of Dublin will largely supply rectors for some of our other dioceses. Indeed, this evolution in our Church's life has already begun, and during the last year we have felt its operation."

In regard to Church life in Belfast some advance can be recorded. Within the past year the chancel of St. Simon's Church has been built; a well-equipped Mission Hall in St. Paul's Parish has been opened, and very fine parochial buildings have been added to hte Church of St. Mary Magdalene; while lastly, the Dean and Chapter of St. Anne's have been able to start upon another stage of the completion of Belfast Cathedral.

After referring to the Northern Education Act (reported elsewhere) the Bishop said:—

"We are living in a time of moral and intellectual unsettlement and transition. Such a period tests belief and conduct. There must always be development in the Church's grasp of the fullness of the teaching of Christ and of all that flows therefrom; and a Church that refuses to consider the messages that reach her from day to day is condemned to sterility. The young men and women of to-day are infatuated (and rightly infatuated) by the splendours of knowledge that open before them, and they will find it difficult to accept a faith or respect a Church that has stereotyped itself in controversial formulas. I draw attention to this because I feel at times that some of us fail to realise that our glorious creed is a greater thing than can be compressed into narrow moulds."

Mr. W. A. Ferrar, J.P., said that the grants from the General Synod might not be so large in future. The British Government had declined to return income tax after the present year, and that would mean a loss of between £60,000 and £70,000 over the whole of the Church of Ireland. They were endeavouring to transfer their capital into funds which would not be subject to income tax—they would try to dodge them some way.

SETTLEMENT IN RADCLIFFE MATRIMONIAL CASE.

In the Divorce Court, London, yesterday, a settlement was announced in the petition of Lady Delme Radcliffe, for judicial separation, against her husband, Brigadier-General Sir Charles Delme Radcliffe. Petitioner's counsel stated that all outstanding questions between the husband and the wife had been settled, and the terms, which were embodied in a document, involved the execution, eventually, of a deed of separation.

Counsel for respondent said that Sir Charles defended the action entirely with the idea that there might be a chance of his wife's coming back to him. This was not likely at present. The terms agreed to, added counsel, were more generous to the wife than if she had won the suit.

The President, after being handed a copy of the terms, said that the litigation had come to the best end, in the interests of the parties, of which it was capable. The best thing for the parties was that some concord should have been arrived at.

It is announced in the *London Gazette* that Major the Rt. Hon. Earl of Birkenhead, of the Oxfordshire Yeomanry, having attained the age limit, is retired, and is granted the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, with permission to wear the prescribed uniform.

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IDENTITY CARDS FOR VISITORS.

NEW REGULATIONS IN FRANCE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Intending visitors to France will do well to note the new order obliging them, if they wish to stay here for more than fifteen days, to obtain permits in the form of identity cards from the police, or the nearest Town Hall. The new order is likely to involve foreigners in much inconvenience, and some doubt appears to be cherished of its precise intentions, but its terms are specific enough in the *Official Journal*, and the tourist agencies are advising their clients that they will be safe only if they conform to the letter of the law.

Hitherto the visitor might stay here two months before being obliged to take out an identity card. Henceforth, if he is over fifteen, he must go to the local police station with four full-face photographs, showing him without his hat, and giving the completest particulars of his birth, nationality and *status*, backed by the usual documentary evidence. He will be given a receipt, and it is supposed that his card will be issued to him in time for it to serve its purpose.

In view of the efforts made by the French Government to encourage holiday-makers to come to France, the new regulations cause great surprise, and English and Americans particularly believe that their effect is certain to be to reduce the number of visitors. The delays in issuing the cards are already vexatious, and with the huge increase in the number of applicants, as the result of the new order the whole system must break down, unless an extensive organisation is in existence before next season's rush of tourists.

FUEL PROBLEMS.

CONSERVATION OF COAL.

The Dublin University Experimental Science Association entered upon its forty-fifth session last evening, when an address was delivered by the President, Dr. K. C. Bailey, on "Fuel Problems of to-day and to-morrow."

Dr. Bailey began by saying that an abundance of fuel, at a reasonable price, was necessary to national prosperity, and that despite the advance of oil and the invention of new types of engine for its combustion, the fuel *par excellence* was still, and was likely to remain, coal. The conservation of the coal supply was, therefore, the first and greatest of those problems which they had met to consider.

Our coal supply, he said, is incapable of indefinite expansion, and the fact that we are wasting a large proportion of it (50 per cent. according to a distinguished French authority) must make us pause and think. If coal were carbonised at 600 degrees centigrade, it would be possible to produce a coke suitable for all domestic purposes, and it would be practically smokeless. Considering whether its production on a national scale was a commercial possibility, he said that the annual British consumption of raw coal is about 150 million tons. If this were carbonised at 600 degrees centigrade, it would provide approximately 100 million tons of smokeless coal. Though one ton of smokeless fuel furnished on combustion a greater number of therms than one ton of raw coal (in the ratio of about 7 to 6), it did not furnish as much as a ton and a half, so that a greater quantity of coal should be used to satisfy the needs of the country. The 150 million tons of coal would provide, in addition to the smokeless fuel, 560 million gallons of motor spirit, 70 million barrels of fuel oil, and one million tons of amonia sulphate, as well as combustible gas over and above what was needed to carry out the carbonisation.

The different processes of carbonisation were described, and special reference was made to the first attempt to use low temperature carbonisation to meet the needs of a large community. It was explained that the Nottingham Corporation has entered into an arrangement with the manufacturers of the "coalite" process, in accordance with which plant valued at a quarter of a million is to be erected, which will supply Nottingham with about 250,000 tons per annum of smokeless fuel, and will also yield large quantities of crude oil, motor spirit, and gas, which is to be used as the town's supply.

Another modern development tending to the more efficient conservation of our own available supplies was the employment of pulverised fuel. A mixture of coal dust and air is highly explosive, and by pulverising coal it may be burned by means of a very small excess of air (about 25 per cent.) with the almost incredible thermal efficiency of 85.9 per cent.

It seemed likely that the national fuel system of the near future in most countries of the world would entail, firstly, a removal from coal of its valuable by-products; secondly, the conversion of the energy remaining in the coke into electrical energy; and thirdly, the distribution of this latter to factories, business houses, railways and tramways, castles and cottages throughout the land. The fuel supply of the distant future was still to be sought.

Professor P. F. Purcell, M.A., M.A.I., in proposing a vote of thanks to Dr. Bailey, remarked that fuel supply formed one of the greatest problems of the present day.

Professor J. Joly, Sc.D., F.R.S., in seconding the vote of thanks, expressed the belief that the future of the world's oil supply lay in the fauna of the ocean.

The President having acknowledged the vote of thanks, a very successful meeting ended.

IRISHMAN WHO "HELD UP" A CREW.

EXCITING SEA YARN TO BE TOLD IN COURT.

The story of how an Irishman "held up" the crew of a steamer is to be told in the London High Courts, when an action for libel is brought by a British Colonel against a Paris wine merchant.

Messrs. Edmond O'Connor and Co., solicitors, represent the plaintiff, and Messrs. J. J. Edwards and Co., solicitors, the defendant. Eminent counsel are being retained.

The proceedings now pending are a sequel to the adventurous voyage of a vessel which was chartered to carry a large consignment of brandy and champagne from France to the United States. The vessel, after considerable anchor trouble, arrived outside territorial waters.

The story of the voyage was briefly related to a *Star* reporter.

Before the vessel left France a gentleman interested in the venture hurried to New York, where he completed arrangements for the sale there of the whole cargo of brandy and champagne. In the course of negotiations he met a lighterage contractor, acting for the purchaser, who later introduced him to an Irishman dressed in the part of a longshoreman.

Following this meeting, all three took to the water and went aboard the vessel. The Irishman was detailed to check the brandy and champagne cases, and while thus engaged he came across the vessel's armoury.

Unobserved, he extracted the firing pins from revolvers and placed them in his pocket, and a few days later he obtained permission from the captain to go ashore.

On his return, accompanied by other men, events moved quickly and dramatically. One evening, while the officers were dining, the Irishman suddenly commanded them to put their hands on the table.

The captain had not the slightest suspicion of what was afoot. The crew were similarly "held up" and closely searched.

The Irishman then asked the captain if there were any bottles containing "poison" on board, and was told where to find them.

After seizing the whole of the cargo the Irishman drily remarked to the captain: "Sir, you cannot be too careful in matters of this kind." He thereupon directed the captain to sail for Cardiff, while he and his confederates returned to the United States with the cargo.

The libel is stated to be in a letter written by the defendant, in which he alleges that the Colonel was a party to the "hold up."

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.

At a Mission Service this evening at 8 o'clock in St. Bartholomew's Church, Dublin, the preacher will be the Rev. Arthur W. Robinson, D.D., Canon of Canterbury.

W. B. Bockstace, aged eighty, of Pittsburg, has obtained a divorce from his wife, aged seventy-six, on the ground of desertion.

ULSTER EDUCATION ACT.

DOWN SYNOD'S CRITICISM.

DEMAND FOR AMENDING ACT.

The lack of adequate provision in the Northern Education Act for religious instruction in the schools was the subject of an animated debate yesterday in the Synod of the United Dioceses of Down and Connor and Dromore in Belfast.

The Bishop (Right Rev. C. T. P. Grierson), in his address to the Synod, referred to the Education Act, and said that he was aware that sharp differences of opinion existed amongst them.

Looking back over the controversy that has occurred, he proceeded, I cannot but feel that much of it has arisen from suspicion existing on both sides. We were suspicious, and not unnaturally, because of certain unfortunate phrases in the Act itself, which seemed, on their face, to suggest a secularising of education. I sincerely hope that whenever the time arrives for the emendation of the Act (and assuredly, in due course, such a time will arise) the Government will then, with willing consent, delete these words—words which, while not essential to the structure of the Act, convey so undesirable an impression. And the Government, by the utterances of more than one of its members, showed that they similarly were suspicious of us.

Now, where mutual suspicion exists wise solutions are difficult to reach. I am glad to be able to express my conviction that since we last met the progress of events has been such as to allay these old suspicions; for, while the Government have not seen their way as yet to remove the objectionable clauses, they have shown us that these clauses do not, in their view, suggest that secularisation of education which the words seemed to us to imply.

Other important questions arose regarding the terms upon which schools could be transferred. Here, again, the Ministry finally has met our wishes, and has recognised that our demands in this connection are reasonable and can be granted within the terms of the Act.

DEMAND FOR AMENDING ACT.

Subsequently the Ven. Archdeacon E. A. Atkinson moved the following motion, of which he had given notice:—

"That, while we recognise the endeavours of the Ministry of Education to guard against the dangers to the religious teaching of the children in primary schools under the Act of 1923, as apprehended by the representatives of the Protestant Churches, we are compelled to reiterate our conviction that no permanent settlement of the education question can be satisfactory to the Christian public while the clauses which have been objected to as stamping the Act with a secularising character remain unamended; and we respectfully request the Government of Northern Ireland, at as early a date as it may be possible for them to do so, to introduce a bill to amend the Act so as to remove or modify the clauses objected to.

"We are strongly of opinion that until this has been done managers should not transfer their schools."

In moving the opening paragraph of the resolution, the Archdeacon said that he granted that much water had flowed under the bridge since last year. The stream was flowing still in the same direction as strongly as ever—in the direction of secularisation. Unless something was done by them to stem the tide or direct its course, in his opinion they would soon be flooded out, and the Christian faith as taught in Protestant Ulster would be submerged in the next generation. Let them rest assured not one Roman Catholic school would be transferred under present conditions. The Roman Catholic people would see that their children were taught the Christian faith as they held it, and were prepared to pay for it. All honour to them; he took off his hat to anyone who was prepared to pay for his principles. (Applause.) He believed Protestant parents would be prepared to pay, and he believed also that Synod would not allow their allies in the other dioceses and churches down in their opposition to secularisation. (Applause.)

The Rev. C. E. Quin, in seconding, said that nothing would remedy the bill but the removal of certain clauses which vitiated it.

The first part of the notice of motion was unanimously passed.

Archdeacon Atkinson then formally moved the second portion.

The Rev. Mr. Quin, in seconding, said that so long as the clause stood setting aside religion in the appointment of a teacher, there could be no security. "You cannot build a Gothic cathedral on Belfast mud; there must be a foundation somewhere," he said. They should not help the Government to perpetrate a fraud.

The Rev. Canon Browne moved an amendment to add to the resolution—"Unless the deeds of transfer contain provisions that will safeguard the religious education of the children." He thought that their attitude of suspicion might tend to alienate teachers from the Church. He thought that there was too much suspicion both of the teachers and of the Government.

Rev. Canon Barton, seconding, appealed to the Synod to look at the other side of the question. If they did not transfer their schools the children would transfer themselves, and there is not much good for a school without children. They would then leave their faithful teachers high and dry without schools.

The amendment was lost by a large majority, and Archdeacon's Atkinson's resolution was then put as a substantive motion, and carried.

ATTITUDE OF BELFAST PRESBYTERY.

On the motion of Rev. William Corkey, seconded by Rev. Dr. Macmillan, the following resolution was unanimously adopted at the meeting of Belfast Presbytery yesterday:—

"That, inasmuch as national schools under the control of ministers and committees of the Presbyterian Church were built for the purpose of imparting 'combined secular and separate religious instruction,' which was the fundamental principle of the National Board, and as the Education Act (Northern Ireland) contains no guarantee that such schools, if transferred will have any religious instruction (Section 26), or even have teachers who are in sympathy with the Christian religion (Section 66), the Presbytery believes that managers and church committees ought not to transfer their schools until the Education Act is amended in accordance with the resolutions of the General Assembly."

The report was adopted.

GROSS CRUELTY TO GOAT.

REWARD FOR DISCOVERY OF PERPETRATORS.

An inspector of the Stillorgan and South County Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals discovered a case of appalling cruelty to a goat on the side of Ticknock mountain last Sunday.

The inspector's dog attracted him to a shallow quarry hole, in which was a large goat in great pain. A tin can of heavy stones had been tied to its tail with a length of rope. This rope had been pulled tightly to the animal's hind feet, which had been bound together. The rope had then been passed to the fore feet, which were also tied, so that the animal could not move.

The goat's limbs were swollen and the rope was cutting into the flesh. The inspector obtained the help of two men and they released the suffering animal, which could not rise for some time. However, it recovered a little and was able to graze. It was evident that the animal had been lying helpless for several days.

The Committee of the Society offers a reward of £1 for information leading to the conviction of the person or persons who committed this act of gross cruelty.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have appointed Sir Sidney Lee to be a Trustee of the National Portrait Gallery, in place of the late Sir Herbert Raphael, Bart.

The mere male must hope that we shall not come to anchor, like the bees, in an unchangeable suffragette millennium, under which all the work will be done by our maiden aunts.—Dean Inge.

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All dealers sell them. —[Advt.]

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

LECTURE ON PALESTINE.—"Palestine, the Land of Three Faiths," was the subject of a lantern lecture delivered by the Rev. Gordon Clements last night in the Presbyterian Church, Rathgar. The lecturer showed a number of interesting slides of his journey from Alexandria to Jerusalem. A tour through the Holy Land, he said, threw light on many passages of Scripture which were not always obvious to one unacquainted with the topography of the country.

DUBLIN LITERARY SOCIETY.—A lecture on "Journalists and Literature" was delivered last night by Mr. M. H. J. Brunicardi at the meeting of the Dublin Literary Society at 36 Rutland square, Dublin. The lecturer referred to many essayists and novelists, whose genius was cultivated in the newspaper offices, and whose works have the impression that only newspaper experience could give.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE.—A meeting will be held to-day in the Mansion House, Dublin, to launch an appeal for funds for the St. John Ambulance Brigade. It will be proposed that an appeal committee should be formed.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS.—J. Steele, R. N. Mitchell, P. Fox, Mrs. R. E. Johnston, R. Dudley Wood, E. D. Green, H. Priestman, J. C. McKeever, S. McKeever, E. Murray, F. Marshall, Miss J. Gordon, M. T. Murphy, J. A. Leech, T. Fleming, R. M. Deans, N. P. Hoorn, W. Longbottom, C. Allen, C. Brindley, S. Bennett, N. S. Smith, J. H. D. Tidler, W. P. Belcher, G. H. Weddel, P. Brady, F. Hewer, J. Crean, G. Walsh, T. P. Curran, G. B. Waters, E. Jones.

DEPARTURES.—J. Martin, J. P. O'Duffy, G. Martin, J. Crean, Miss K. S. Bond, R. R. Kenny, F. McGurty, A. J. Strong, H. Dewar, E. J. Kieran, N. M. Dickson, J. F. Smythe, J. Whitfield, J. O'Callaghan, F. Ralleigh, J. Ryan, E. Crilly, J. F. Maguire, C. T. Haworth.

LEINSTER.

REVOLVER IN A BAR.—At Kilkenny yesterday, Patrick Dalton, Michael McSweeney and James Wall were charged with obtaining drinks in the Home Rule Club, John's quay, by force of arms on October 29. The manager of the club said that the accused men, who were not members, entered the premises shortly after 9 o'clock. McSweeney produced a revolver, placed it on the counter pointing towards the witness, and asked for three pints of stout. The witness refused to serve them. McSweeney then jumped on to the counter. The witness took refuge under the counter. Eventually he gave them the three drinks, and they were paid for by McSweeney. On the previous night he had refused to give McSweeney a drink, although he was introduced by a member. The defendants were ordered to be imprisoned until the rising of the Court; in addition McSweeney was fined £5 or, in default of payment within two weeks, two months' imprisonment.

DISORDERLY ELEMENTS AT SHANKILL.—Mr. E. J. Little, District Justice, at the opening of Shankill, Co. Dublin, Court yesterday, said that he had to refer to the conduct of boys and young people round that hall—the Shankill Carnegie Free Library—which was used for classes and occasionally for social meetings. Persons attending these social meetings and classes had been subjected to all kinds of "barracking," jeering, hustling, and using bad language as they left the place. That was a thing that would not be tolerated. Young people must behave themselves and consider both the convenience and the rights of others. He was sure that he had only to mention that this thing had been going on and the Civic Guard would see to it that people attending the hall were not again subjected to this conduct. It must cease or he would have the guilty parties brought before him.

ROBBERY FROM CLOTHES LINE.—At Shankill, Co. Dublin, yesterday, Thomas Welstead, Ballycorus, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, with hard labour, and his step-son, Patrick M'Cabe, remanded, to ascertain his age with a view to sending him to a reformatory on a charge of the larceny of articles of clothing valued at £5 from a garden where they had been hung out to dry. Mrs. Walstead, who was placed under arrest in Court on a charge of receiving the property, said that her son was very unruly and hard to manage. When she asked him where he got the clothes he said that he found them in a hole in the road. The Clerk said that in March Wolstead was sentenced to four months' imprisonment, with hard labour, for the larceny of seven hens and a donkey's harness. "I remember that," said the magistrate. "It was a most contemptible larceny—a case of the poor robbing the poor." He dealt with Mrs. Welstead under the First Offenders Act. She was not to blame, as she was "being dragged about by her wretched husband."

RESOLUTIONS FROM OTHER BODIES.—Kilkenny Corporation took no action on a resolution from the Sligo Corporation expressing the opinion that the reduction under the first schedule of the Pensions Act, 1924, would cause pensioners to seek poor law relief and suggesting that a Commission should be set up to enquire into the working of the Act. The Mayor said that he did not believe that the reduction had affected the local rates in any way. He did not approve of passing resolutions from other public bodies. If the Corporation wanted to pass a resolution on any matter he thought that the members should draft it themselves and not simply pass one sent them from another public body.

IMPROVED POSTAL SERVICE.—A new postal service has been inaugurated in Philipstown, King's Co. Heretofore the mails were conveyed by horse and van from Tullamore, but a motor service has now been arranged, and the mails will be conveyed from Enfield via Edenderry and Rhode. By the new arrangements daily newspapers will arrive in Philipstown at 10 a.m. instead of 2 o'clock.

KING'S COUNTY ECONOMIES.—Birr Urban Council yesterday passed a resolution protesting against the recent curtailment of the local telephone service. They also have asked the Commissioner for King's County not to discontinue the District Hospital at Birr, as it would inflict hardships on the people of the town and district. He is also asked to reconsider reductions in outdoor relief. It is pointed out that Birr Urban Council has paid its full moiety of the rates.

DEATH OF GOREY POSTMASTER.—The death has taken place of Mr. Michael Hangadon, aged 51, Postmaster of Gorey. He was a native of Dromahair, Co. Leitrim, and went to Gorey office in 1893 as telegraphist. He was appointed supervisor in 1905, and postmaster in 1922.

FAST DRIVING ON BRAY ROAD.—The magistrate at Shankill, Co. Dublin, said yesterday that complaints had been made about the speed of motor-cars on the Shankill road and Bray road, especially on Sunday nights. Motor-cars should not be allowed to travel at a speed dangerous to the public.

GUIDE TO KILKENNY.—Kilkenny Corporation, without committing itself to any expenditure, has decided to grant to the Irish Tourist Association the sole right of publishing an illustrated guide to Kilkenny, provided that before publication the matter is submitted to the Corporation for approval.

PUBLICHOUSE RAIDED.—Our Birr Correspondent writes that last Saturday night two masked and armed men entered Lyons' publichouse at Annagh, Birr, intimidated the proprietor and customers and stole £20 in cash and whiskey, ale, tobacco and cigarettes valued at £7 10s. As the raiders left they gave orders to those in the house not to leave for half an hour.

BRAY SURCHARGES.—The Local Government Board has remitted the surcharges made on Bray Councillors in respect of the payment of poor rate on municipal houses.

MUNSTER.

BOY MISTAKEN FOR RABBIT.—While shooting over his father's lands at Bearnakill, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford, Thomas Walsh fired through a hedge at what he took to be a rabbit, but which proved to be his brother, who was wounded in the back. He is progressing satisfactorily in hospital.

CORK ENGINEER.—A Cork Board of Examiners has selected eight out of the twenty-two applicants as best qualified to fill the position of City Engineer for Cork. These eight have been instructed to attend an examination in Cork on Wednesday, November 14.

ALLEGED INCENDIARISM.—John Cronin, a labourer, Ballymacandrich, Cloyne, Midleton, Co. Cork, has been remanded at Midleton on a charge of burning twenty-five tons of hay, the property of Timothy McCarthy, of the same district. There have been several agrarian outrages in Cloyne recently, arising out of a long-standing land dispute.

ELECTRIC LIGHT FOR CLONMEL.—Clonmel Corporation's electricity scheme has been approved by the Government, and work will start shortly.

ULSTER.

"CHILD GRABBING."—At a meeting of the North-West Branch of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation reference was made to what was called the "detestable practice of child grabbing." It was suggested that the matter should be brought under the notice of the "C.E.C." so that at the next congress steps might be taken to deal effectively with "those parasites who are so devoid of *esprit de-corps* as to strike a blow at their professional brethren."

Efforts to settle the Dublin fish market dispute have not yet been successful.

The Rev. David MacLaughlin, formerly Minister of Drumminis, has been appointed to Kilkenny.

Mr. James Cook, 13 Haddon road, Clontarf, Dublin, is taking care of a stray carrier pigeon, marked N.U.R.P. 24 and other figures.

A store at the rear of the publichouse known as the City House, Rathfarnham, Dublin, was slightly damaged by fire last night.

Mr. Thomas Lincoln has been appointed Principal of the Boys' National School at Stradbally, Kilmacthomas, County Waterford, in succession to Mr. Maurice Quinlan, who has been appointed to Tourneens.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

EASING MATTERS FOR RAILWAYS.—Portadown Town Council has decided to appeal to the Quarter Sessions against the reduction in the valuation of the railway company's premises. At the monthly meeting of the Council, a communication was read from the Commissioners of Valuation, pointing out that the valuation of a railway undertaking was based on the revenue principle, which had repeatedly received the approval of the Courts. It should be understood, the letter stated, that the reduction granted to the railway company should be regarded as a temporary concession to meet abnormal conditions. A member said that the Commissioners were taking up an attitude towards the railway companies that they did not adopt in the case of other traders. If the same consideration had been given to other ratepayers in Portadown, the Council would not now be receiving much in rates. During the past few years business concerns had been suffering from the same depression as the railway company, but if members of the business community increased the value of their premises, their valuation was increased. The railway company had improved the permanent way and increased the value of their station premises, but their valuation, instead of being increased, had been largely reduced.

ARMISTICE DAY IN PORTADOWN.—Portadown Town Council has adopted the report of a Committee, which recommends—"The teachers of all national schools in town to be asked to give a lecture to their pupils before eleven o'clock a.m. on the significance of Armistice Day, and the circumstances under which that event took place. The silence of two minutes to be observed in the schools from 11 to 11.2 a.m." A member suggested that police should be placed at all the approaches to the town to prevent carts and other vehicles from entering during the observance of the silence, remarking that the Council should not forget, or allow the people to forget, what Armistice Day means.

BELFAST HARBOUR TRAFFIC.—The Harbour Master, at a meeting of Belfast Harbour Board yesterday, reported that 290 vessels arrived at the port between October 19 and November 1. Of these 265 were coastwise and cross-Channel, 22 foreign, 3 non-trading. The total tonnage which arrived between January 1 and November 1 was 2,661,835; of this cross-Channel and coastwise was 1,976,966, foreign 653,564, non-trading 31,305. This showed a total increase over the corresponding period of last year of 150,437 tons, or an increase in cross-Channel and coastwise of 60,078 tons, in foreign 93,246, while non-trading had decreased by 2,887.

NEWCASTLE WAR MEMORIAL.—A deputation from the British Legion has reminded the Newcastle Urban Council that when the Council undertook the custody of the war trophy which was formally handed over to it by the Legion it was understood that the park should be kept in proper condition. This had not been done, and it was requested that the matter should have immediate attention.

£10 POTEEN CRIME.—At a Crimes Court in Strabane yesterday, John Henry Cooper, labourer, Carndreen, and William John Smith, farmer, Mournbeg, were charged with having a quantity of illicit spirits in their possession. Police passing along a lane at Garvagh, where a football match was taking place, saw the accused men sitting in a ditch. Smith took a bottle from Cooper and moved away, but was detained. He then took another bottle containing poteen from his pocket and threw it over the hedge. The accused men pleaded guilty and offered no explanation, and were fined £10 and costs each, the chairman remarking that the traffic must be stopped.

NEW DERRY MAGISTRATES.—Mr. John Walker, a member of the Londonderry Corporation and District Commandant in the Special Constabulary, has been appointed a magistrate, and will adjudicate at Londonderry Rural Petty Sessions. Mr. Cyril A. Nicholson, Beechhill, a member of the County Council, has also been appointed a magistrate to adjudicate at Eglinton.

GLENDERMOTT WAR MEMORIAL.—A brass tablet, with a black marble border, erected in Glendermott, County Londonderry, Parish Church, to the twenty-three men of the parish who were killed, and the sixty-nine others who served in the war, was unveiled on Sunday by Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Bowen, D.S.O., and dedicated by the Dean of Derry. The Service was accompanied by the band of the 1st Battalion of the Royal Sussex Regiment.

PORTADOWN COUNCIL WAGES.—Portadown Town Council has refused an application by their workmen for an increase of 7s. 6d. a week in wages. The men are at present paid £2 2s., which, it was pointed out, was considerably more than other employers in the district were paying.

NEGLECTED ROADS.—Armagh County Surveyor, in his report to the Tandragee Rural Council, states that there is very little evidence of any work having been done on the roads worked by contractors during the last quarter.

WARRENPOINT PARK PROPOSAL.—At a Warrenpoint Urban District Council meeting on Monday, a largely-signed petition, protesting against the proposal of the Council to acquire ground for a recreation park, was received. It was decided to consider the petition at the December meeting.

PRESENTATION TO EX-MAYOR.—To mark the citizens' appreciation of the services rendered by Sir William and Lady Coates for the three years during which they occupied the Mayoral office, they yesterday received presentations. The ceremony, which took place in the City Hall, was largely attended. The Lord Mayor unveiled a full-length portrait of Sir W. Coates, and presented it, together with an illuminated address in album form, to Sir William. Miniature portraits of their two children were presented to Sir William and Lady Coates, and Lady Coates was also presented with a three-quarter length portrait of Sir W. Coates and a personal gift of a platinum watch bracelet.

PRESENTATION TO THE DUCHESS OF ABERCORN.—The Duchess of Abercorn received a deputation of members of the linen trade of Northern Ireland at Clandeboye yesterday morning and was presented with some damask. The Governor and the Duchess of Abercorn entertained the members of the deputation to luncheon.

Portadown Town Council has arranged that the scavanging of the town shall be carried out by contract.

Lurgan dairymen have advanced the price of milk to 7d. a quart. The increase is due, they say, to the high cost of feeding stuffs.

FLAX-GROWING.

The British Board of Trade have appointed Mr. R. J. McKeown, M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Commerce, Northern Ireland, and Mr. John Morrison, to be additional members of the Committee recently appointed to consider and report on what steps can be taken to bring about the growing of flaxseed and flax in the United Kingdom on a commercial scale.

LUCRATIVE APPOINTMENTS.
Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, gained 185 Appointments at Competitive Examinations from July, 1923, to June, 1924—viz. Customs and Excise, 36; Female Writing Assistants, 34; Banks, 73; Railways, 28; Dublin Corporation, 7; Miscellaneous, 7.—(Advt.)

LESSONS OF THE ELECTION.

MR. THOMAS AND CLASS WARFARE.

DEFENCE OF THE CONSTITUTION.

"We are passing through a transition stage, and I am going to avail myself of the opportunity of saying that neither I nor my colleagues, nor, I believe, this old country of ours will regret the experiment of the last ten months. Never let us forget not only that we are members of the great British Commonwealth, but that we have the greatest constitution in the world."

These words were spoken by Mr. J. H. Thomas, the Colonial Secretary, who was the chief guest at the two hundred and ninety-sixth Cutlers' Feast at Sheffield last night, at which the Master Cutler, Mr. William W. Wood, junior, presided.

If any evidence were required of that, said Mr. Thomas, it would be in my meeting here to-night William Clegg. When I first came to Sheffield, well over twenty years ago, he was the Lord Mayor. I came in connection with my trade union, a young engine fireman, earning four shillings a day, and to-night I am your guest, one of His Majesty's Ministers of State. A constitution that enables that progress is certainly a constitution to be proud of and to defend. (Cheers.) In spite of sneers and jeers, I am, and shall always remain, a proud defender of the Great British Constitution. (Cheers.) Quite true, I once wrote a book, but whenever confronted with a problem I have never turned to page so and so to see what has been my past belief; I have never turned back to see what I have said on a public platform. People call me inconsistent, but the thing to do is take your courage in both hands and say: Here is a problem, and I am going to do the best for my country in dealing with it. (Cheers.)

When I hand over the seals of office I hope that no one will be able to say that this great British Commonwealth is less great because a workingman occupied that position. (Cheers.) If I have made mistakes it is, perhaps, because of the lack of experience, but neither class nor politics has influenced or blinded me to my responsibilities, and I hope that I shall be able to say to my successor that I have helped to maintain the prestige and honour of this country equally with any man that has occupied the position. (Cheers.) Changes of party are secondary so long as there is the fundamental recognition that the old country, with all it stands for, must go on.

THE VERDICT.

We have passed through a general election. A verdict has been given. As Democrats we must accept that verdict as the will of the people. I say that because I already observe a tendency to talk on an alternative method—direct action. When, in a few hours, I hand over the seals of office, I return to the position of a trades union leader. There are difficulties and grave responsibilities in that position. It is not without very serious consideration that I resume that, perhaps the most difficult of all tasks. I am doing it because I believe that I can render most service to my people and my country by directing and shaping the great working-class organisation with which I have always been associated. I believe that not in consequence of, but in spite of, any change in Government there is just a possibility of an improvement in the trade of this country, and I emphasise that it is not "in consequence of." (Laughter.) But if there is one thing that will make that impossible it will be a recurrence of any industrial dispute. (Hear, hear.)

It is no good condemning one class or section; we get nowhere by that method. Our duty is to try and see what is the real cause of our trouble. During the war we were living in an artificial atmosphere: the employer was making profits too easily, and the men were making money too easily. There was a failure to recognise that paper was not wealth, and to-day, whether employed or employing, we are suffering from the fact that we have not only spent our capital, but have largely mortgaged the future; and instead of a frank and full recognition of that fact, there has been a tendency for one to blame the other. There has been an absence of confidence between both sides, and there is going to be no peace in industry until there is more confidence between employer and employed. (Cheers.)

CLASS WARFARE.

I do not interpret the people's verdict as a verdict for reaction. Do not blind yourselves to the significance of the vote. Our party, though defeated, polled precisely the same votes as the Conservative Party twelve months ago. Do not minimise the effect of that, and also do not keep up this damnable talk of class warfare. (Cheers.) I refuse to subscribe to the view that any class is superior to my class, but I do not believe in any class. Let us realise that in the hour of real trial this country was defended and saved, not by a section, but by all sections. (Cheers.) We are going through the fire now; we shall come out cleaner, and our aim will be the surer and speedier if we stop all this bitter class hatred. (Cheers.)

In this, the last speech that I shall deliver temporarily—(laughter)—as a Minister of the Crown, I am proud of having occupied the office. I have done my best; God speed to my successor. (Prolonged cheers.)

G.B.S. ON RIVAL TRANSLATORS.

CRITIC WHO SHOULD HAVE "ASKED A POLICEMAN."

Mr. Bernard Shaw has written a characteristic letter to the *Observer* regarding comments made by a Berlin correspondent on the dramatist's fidelity to his translator, Siegfried Trebitsch. The correspondent alleged (a) that Herr Trebitsch's native language is not German; (b) that he writes halting German; (c) that his struggles with German are obvious; and (d) that his nationality is given sometimes as Hungarian and sometimes as Polish.

Mr. Bernard Shaw makes the following comments:—

Herr Trebitsch was born in Vienna, of Viennese parents. His language is the language of Grillparzer and Raimund, of Schnitzler and Hoffmansthal. Your correspondent does not count this as German because it is not precisely the dialect of his street in Berlin. Possibly "Saint Joan" would be more impressive in that dialect; but I doubt whether the Viennese and the Dresdeners who are at present so enthusiastic about her would think so. Your correspondent's club, though no doubt an interesting place, is not Germany.

Herr Trebitsch's halting German has served him so well that before he began translating my plays, twenty-five years ago, his novels and poems had run into many editions in Germany. Possibly my style has demoralised him; but as I notice that he has since received two literature prizes for his original contributions to the German drama, I conclude that he still retains enough of his native language to satisfy everyone except your correspondent.

On the whole, I think I shall stick to Herr Trebitsch. My plays seem to succeed in Germany in spite of his nationality being given sometimes as Hungarian, sometimes as Polish, and no doubt sometimes as Chinese. These wild rumours are the penalty of fame.

Your readers must, however, make allowances for the disappointment of many would-be translators. One of these, a gentleman connected with a Leipzig theatre, who failed to secure "Saint Jean" (about which he was laudably enthusiastic), sat down in the bitterness of his heart and wrote a frantic review article against poor Mr. Trebitsch, citing half-a-dozen ordinary *errata* which did not amount to a row of beans, and giving some specimens of his own powers which left me unconvinced. It was he who remarked in a private letter, written in his best English, that a certain other translator (he is down on all of them) "does not know neither German nor English."

It is a hard lot to be my translator. They share Herr Trebitsch's fate throughout Europe. Their disappointed rivals assure me that they are without an exception illiterate impostors. But the translations go marching on for all that. Your correspondent has been the dupe of one of the disappointed; and I forgive him accordingly. But really, as the fact that Herr Trebitsch is a well-known Viennese author, and has been so for a quarter of a century past, is as well known in Germany as it is in England that Thomas Hardy is not a Hindu, I think he might have verified his information before planting it on *The Observer*. The nearest policeman would have told him.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

AN IRISH CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—To establish any political party three things are needed—a policy, a leader, and sufficient funds to create an effective organisation. Will "Spes Nova" tell us where these are to be found?—Yours, etc.,

"IGNOTUS."

Co. Dublin, November 4th, 1924.

COMPULSORY IRISH.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I express my pleasure at the fact that someone of Irish sympathies has at last spoken freely on the subject of the Irish language? I refer to the statement of Father Tobin, at Fermoy, in which he condemns the absurdity of foisting upon a state of knowledge, which marks a certain point in mental development, mental habits and expressions of a totally different epoch and environment. Let us again call attention to the words of the syllabus for the present year:—

"All secondary schools shall be divided into three classes:—

"Class A. Schools in which all the teaching is done through the medium of Irish, and in which Irish is the ordinary language used by pupils and teachers.

"Class B. Bilingual schools, in which Irish is taught to all pupils, and in which the teaching of certain subjects in the programme or of certain classes in the school is done through Irish. As this class is intended to be only a transitional one, schools that belong to it must qualify for entrance into Class A in a reasonable time after their admission to Class B.

"Class C. All other schools."

These requirements involve nothing that is not reasonable until we come to the clause which requires that eventually all schools are to speak nothing but Irish. It is difficult for the ordinary inmate of a secondary school to construe such a regulation as sensible policy. One gasps at the realisation of all that we should sacrifice by such a procedure. Granting that a bilingual *régime* may involve advantages in mental equipment such as might not be otherwise bestowed, we should even then, in a state of bilingual education, find it necessary to abandon, for a certainty, the study of Greek, and in all probability the study of Latin—our universal link with the Romance languages of Europe. Of course, one may say that, if the Irish language is not better for the Irishman, so much the worse for him; but it is unfortunate that we should have waited until such a time as this to infuse new life into what savours of the past and is virtually incompatible with modern necessities.

The Irish language was fashioned in an age when men were concerned with the simple, elementary necessities of life, and, like Latin, like Greek, like Hebrew, suffers a loss in commercial value by serving none of those directly utilitarian objects for which in the first instance we are obliged to cater. If, for example, I continue to teach Latin or Greek to any selected pupil, it is in the conviction, first, that he is sufficiently well provided under other categories to allow him to make good in worldly pursuits, and, secondly, because I consider his mental strength to be such that he can afford to reach out further than the possessor of average mentality and equip himself in a manner which suits not only his worldly requirements, but still more his appetite for mental and spiritual growth. We live in an age of acute specialisation, and for every pupil of average mentality we are obliged to take a short cut to the necessary ways and means. We have in the English language a vehicle for social and business intercourse which will serve us on any part of the Continent. Within what time, do we think, are we going to advance the Irish language to such a point of notoriety that it will be equally familiar?

Again, if we teach it side by side with English, we unite, it may be true, the qualities of one people to another and vindicate our reputation for mental activity; but if we are to jettison English entirely and teach nothing but Irish, what compensation are we to have for all that we relinquish in science, art and commerce, and what guarantee have we that we shall speak with more fluency a language which we have not spoken for ten generations?

Lastly, there has been of recent years a marked decline in the study of languages such as Latin and Greek, which formerly bestowed a hall-mark of liberal culture, but now are justly made to subserve the wider purpose of a background to history, ancient and modern. If Irish can fulfil the same object, and inspire pupils to a better understanding of a subject which ten years ago had almost ended in a paralytic quiescence of intellectual death—if it illuminates for us a truer course of historical knowledge and a juster spirit of criticism—this will be no small achievement. To go beyond this and enforce a homogeneous system of elimination on all Irish schools is to outrun the most strait-laced of English public schools in their antipathy to what is original and sanguine, and to introduce the very policy of Metternich himself under another name.

Let us not deceive ourselves. There is one reason beyond all others for the decline that we have recently witnessed in such languages as Greek and Hebrew. It is that these languages are difficult. Our only hope for them is to make them easier. Education has to be levelled up and levelled down. It must inevitably go hard with any subject which does not serve any clear purpose in the general scheme, and we can best serve the interests of any particular science in the old time-honoured way of public generosity—by providing the sinews of war. By all means let us have a grant for the teaching of Irish; but to make the continuance of that grant dependent on the abolition of English as a spoken tongue in schools is at least foolish. It is time for us to come down to concrete facts and talk in plain English—blessed phrase! The Irish of most of us probably would be far more obscure.—Yours, etc.,

J. BURROWS.

Royal School, Raphoe, Co. Donegal, November 3rd, 1924.

WEATHER AND DISTRESS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Though very far from agreement with Madame Maud Gonne in many things, I am in thorough agreement with her letter in your issue of Monday. If politicians could arrange the weather, they might be of some use, though they could not still please all parties; but the Creator is the only Person Who can alter this. Some say that He has sent this bad year as a scourge for our shortcomings. It may be so—and all the more reason why we should do something to atone.

It is not a matter to be used as propaganda by any party. A meeting should be called and supported by every creed and shade of politics, and a platform should be erected on which all can sink petty politics, while helping their fellow-beings to exist over the bad times.—Yours, etc.,

"HELP."

Co. Dublin, November 4th, 1924.

MUSIC IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The Council of the Royal Dublin Society propose to build a theatre at Ballsbridge for our concerts. There has been for many years a demand for a Dublin concert room. Could not the two schemes be amalgamated? The Royal Dublin Society could subscribe to the building of the general concert hall on condition of having the use of it for their own concerts. It has already a fine organ, and the offer of the money, which the proposed theatre would cost, would stir up the public to subscribe to a limited liability company the necessary balance to build a first-rate concert hall for Dublin.—Yours, etc.,

"A LIFE MEMBER."

Dublin, November 4th, 1924.

CHINA AND THE LEAGUE.

GENEVA.

Speaking of the change of Government in China, Mr. Hsia Chi-feng, member of the League of Nations Secretariat, informed the Press Association's Correspondent that Dr. C. T. Wang, the new Foreign Minister, is the most popular leader among young Chinese, and that it was he who concluded the negotiations with Japan for the settlement of the Shantung question, and with Russia for recognition of the Soviet Government.

Mr. Hsia Chi-feng added that he was confident that relations between China and the League would improve to a large extent, and that the Chinese Government, through Dr. Wang, would be able to utilise the League's support.

Mr. Hsia Chi-feng is an intimate friend of Dr. Wang, and knows his aspirations and policy well.—(Reuter.)

ITALIAN FACTION FIGHT.

ROME, Tuesday.

During a Victory Day procession this afternoon a riot took place between Fascisti and anti-Fascisti, as a result of which seven persons were slightly injured.—(Reuter.)

HOUSES BOUGHT FOR 1/- A WEEK.

MINERS SECURING £400 HOUSES.

A housing scheme which enables a workingman in good employment to buy a home without paying any deposit has been put into successful operation in a colliery village outside Retford (Nottingham).

It has been found a commercial proposition (given the aid of the Government subsidy) to offer houses for sale to the miners at only 1s. a week above the economic rent.

A £400 house can be bought by the occupier in 20 years by paying 9s. 9d. a week, plus rates, the economic rent being 8s. 9d.

Mr. Harold Morgan, of Retford, who has organised the scheme, considers that national housing could be carried out on the same basis. Three main advantages are claimed:

The occupier has the satisfaction of becoming the owner in 20 years or less.

No expense falls on local ratepayers.

The Government subsidy is less than under any other scheme and liability is clearly defined.

It is suggested that the scheme could be worked in this way:—

The local authority would borrow money at 4½ per cent. and pay over the whole of the purchase price to the builder. The Government would pay 2 per cent. of the interest to the local authority as a subsidy, and the remaining 2½ per cent. would be paid by the occupier under a mortgage scheme.

In the case of a £400 house, the Government subsidy would amount to £85, compared with £120 (£6 for 20 years) under the Chamberlain Act, and £360 (£9 for 40 years) under the Wheatley Act.

The success of the scheme is, of course, dependent on the occupier being able to pay in the case of a £400 house 9s. 9d. per week, plus rates. For a £500 house he would have to pay about 12s. 6d. a week, plus rates.

It is not suggested that the proposal would solve the immediate problem of housing those who cannot afford to pay these rents, but it is argued that as the houses were built tenants of cheaper ones would move into them and leave room for those who cannot pay more than a few shillings.

"In my own colliery village," said Mr. Morgan in an interview, "the scheme has worked quite successfully with the aid of the ordinary Government subsidy. I believe that a national scheme on the lines I have suggested would go a long way towards solving the housing problem."

Sir Alfred Mond, discussing the scheme, said:—"There is one question which has not been sufficiently recognised—the employment of the small private craftsmen builders.

"Before the war there were many of these small builders, who could not undertake big schemes, but who put up a few houses on their own. Most of them have gone out of business and have been lost to the building trade.

"If they could be got back—as they could be for the carrying into effect of schemes as suggested—they would help considerably towards increased house production.

"This scheme," he concluded, "should prove a stimulus towards the solution of the housing problem. Liberals are strongly in favour of citizens having a stake in the country, and are desirous of making the working man feel more and more that he is a capitalist.

"This policy of private ownership appeals to the Briton who, for the moment, only lacks financial facilities for becoming the owner of his house and land."

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY

The letters "S.B." in these programmes signify a Simultaneous Broadcast from station mentioned.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

3.15-3.45—Talk to Schools. 4.0-5.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Concert. 5.30-6.15—Children. 6.40-6.55—Mr. C. Whitaker Wilson on "Pronunciation." 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben, Weather Forecast, and First General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell on "Everyday Life in Roman Times." S.B. to other Stations. Local News. 7.30—Winifred Small (violin), Adelina Leon (violoncello), Dorothy Howell (pianoforte), Leonard Gowings (tenor). 7.55—"From My Window," by Philemon. 8.0—The Moonstones Concert Party. Violet Stevens (comedienne), Edith Skinner (soprano), Evelyn Baly (pianoforte), Ernest Sewell (entertainer), Jack Rickards (comedian). 9.30—Time Signal from Greenwich, Weather Forecast, and Second General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations except Bournemouth. "The Week's Work in the Garden," by the Royal Horticultural Society. S.B. to all Stations, except Bournemouth. Debate on "The Art of Living," by the London University Students' Union. S.B. to all Stations except Bournemouth. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Orpheans and Savoy Havana Bands. S.B. to all Stations. 11.0—Close. Announcer: J. S. Dodgson.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Orchestra. Joan Maxwell (soprano), Beatrice Dickson (contralto). 5.0-5.30—Women. 5.30-6.45—Children. 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—The City of Birmingham Police Band; Caroline Hatchard (soprano), Peter Dawson (baritone), Sybil Eaton (solo violin). 9.30—Forecast and News. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: J. C. S. Paterson.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

3.0-3.20—The Rev. Father Triggs, Church of the Annunciation: Address for the Sick. 3.30-5.0—The Wireless Orchestra. The Royal Bath Hotel Dance Orchestra. Women. 5.0-6.30—Children. 6.30-6.50—"Talk on Bee-keeping." 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.35-8.0—Interval. 8.0—The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra, Sara Melita (vocalist), Eddy George (novelty ventriloquist). 9.0-9.10—Orchestra. 10.0—Forecast and News. Local News. 10.15—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: John H. Raymond.

CARDIFF (5WA)—351 Metres.

3.0-4.0—Orchestra. 5.0-5.45—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks": The Station Orchestra. Women. 5.45-6.30—Children. 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.60—The "5WA" Repertory Company. "An Unwilling Martyr," a Jest in one act, by Anton Tchehov. Followed by "A Fool and His Money," a Comedy by Laurence Housman. 8.30—The Station Orchestra. Vocalist, Jerome Murphy. 9.30—Forecast and News. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: W. N. Settle.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.

3.0-3.30—Music. 3.30-4.0—Broadcast for Schools. 4.0-4.30—Music. 4.30-5.0—Women. 5.0-6.0—Children. 6.30-6.55—Miss M. Pilkington on "Woodcuts and Colour Block Prints." 7.0—Forecast and News. Prof. Leonard Hill on "Smoke Abatement and Health." Local News. 7.30—The "2ZY" Orchestra. Rachael Hunt (contralto), Ralph Collis (entertainer). "Guy Fawkes," play. 9.30—Forecast and News. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: T. O. Beachcroft.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—400 Metres.

3.45-4.45—The "5NO" Septet. 4.45-5.15—Women. Isabel Spence (soprano). 5.15-6.30—Children. 6.35-6.50—Farmers. 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—Delius and Vaughan Williams. Ethel M. Stanley (mezzo-soprano), William Heseltine (tenor), Alfred M. Wall (solo violin), the Augmented Station Orchestra. 9.30—Forecast and News. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: W. M. Shewen.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.0—Broadcast to Schools. 4.0-5.15—The Wireless Quartet. Nora Delmarr. 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.5—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr. C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—D. Millar Craig on "The History of Opera." S.B. to Edinburgh and Belfast. 7.45—The Partick Male Voice Choir, Ina Callaghan (mezzo-soprano), Alex. Henderson (bass), Miss Ludwig (solo violin), the Station Orchestra. 9.30—Forecast and News. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: R. Elliot Kingsley.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—318 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Orchestra. Cinema. 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0-11.0—Programme S.B. from London.

BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.

4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Trio. 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0—Forecast and News. Mr C. H. B. Quennell. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—D. Millar Craig. S.B. from Glasgow. 7.45—Bella Redford (soprano), E. Norman Hay (solo pianoforte), Ernest A. A. Stoneley (solo violin), the Augmented Station Orchestra, conducted by E. Godfrey-Brown. Orchestra: Imperial March, Op. 32 (Elgar). 7.55—Bella Redford: "Ave Maria" (Schubert), "Maman dites-moi" (Wekerlin), "Elegie" (Massenet), "I Got a Robe" (Negro Spiritual) (Burleigh). 8.10—Orchestra, Short Pieces for Strings only: Aria in E (Bach), "Sea Sheen" (Eric Fogg), Irish Reel, "Molly on the Shore" (Grainger). 8.20—E. Norman Hay: Berceuse, Op. 55, Waltz in B flat, Op. 64, No. 1 (Chopin); "Dans le Bois," Op. 86, No. 6 (Heller); Preludes, "The Holy Boy," "Fire of Spring" (John Ireland). 8.35—Bella Redford: "Mignon" (Thomas), "Cuckoo" (Martin Shaw), "Lullaby" (Cyril Scott) (4) "Love's Garden of Roses" (Haydn Wood). 8.50—Ernest A. A. Stoneley and Orchestra. Last two movements of Symphonie Espagnole for Solo Violin and Orchestra (Lalo). 9.5—Orchestra: Morris Dance (Three Dances "Henry VIII.") (German) (11). Overture, "Di Ballo" (Sullivan) (11). 9.30—Forecast and News. S.B. from London. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Debate by the London University Students' Union. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close. Announcer: Walter Montagu-Douglas-Scott.

The instability and fluctuations in the exchanges of most European countries are still preventing that healthy permanent improvement in the world's trade now so long overdue.—Sir Adolph Tuck.

EDUCATION IN IRELAND.

VIEWS OF THE PROVOST AND MR. JOHN MacNEILL.

THE IRISH LANGUAGE.

On Monday evening last, at a meeting of the Dublin Presbyterian Association, Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C., presiding, a paper was read by Mr. A. S. M. Imrie, M.A., B.Sc., Headmaster of St. Andrew's College, on "Education in the Irish Free State."

Mr. Imrie said that this was a time of uncertainty and some anxiety for Protestant residents in the Free State, but they were not pessimistic. They were prepared for changes, and if these were introduced gradually, and were likely to be for the ultimate betterment of the country, the Presbyterian community in Dublin might be relied upon to give the Minister for Education and the Government all the assistance in their power.

The first part of the paper dealt with the relation between education, religion and national aspiration, the second with the necessity for co-ordination of the various branches of education, and the third with the following suggestions which Mr. Imrie would be inclined to make if the Minister for Education would receive them:—

(1). Let him give several years' notice before classifying secondary schools into A, B and C on the basis of Irish, or discriminating in favour of Irish at the secondary scholarship examination. (2). Let teaching service in preparatory schools or departments be counted towards salary increments. (3). Let capitation grant be paid on preparatory school pupils who study Irish for at least two hours per week. (4). Let him remove the impression that English, the world's commercial language, is to be merely an optional school subject in districts where English is the vernacular. (5). Let the capitation grant per recognised pupil be such that fees need not be raised in the schools. An average grant of £9 per recognised pupil is required. (6). Let a scheme of pensions for registered secondary teachers, with equivalent payments to community schools, be introduced forthwith.

Letters were read from the Provost of Trinity College, the Minister for Education, Sir John Purser Griffith, Mr. George Fletcher, F.G.S., Dr. Robertson, and the Professor of Education to Dublin University.

The following was the Provost's letter:—"The subject of 'Education in the Irish Free State' is one of the most important and urgent subjects that present themselves for the consideration of Irishmen. The main problem is to devise a system of education, primary, secondary, and university, which shall, on the one hand, be national—that is, especially adapted to the needs and opportunities of Irishmen—and, on the other hand, shall be cosmopolitan, so that our boys and girls may be well prepared for their future work in any part of the world. Primary education generally is more intimately affected by national conditions than by international standards; but university education must, at all hazards, present ideals and adopt methods which should be recognised as worthy and effective all over Europe and America. A university must not only set itself to inspire the nation; it must have a world-wide outlook, or its teaching will not be of the best. An Irish university must not limit itself solely to the training of Irishmen, although that will always be its primary duty, but must welcome all-comers, and will train them, as far as lies in its power, for their life work. That was the glory of the University of Paris in the Middle Ages—that it attracted students from every part of Europe; and that was the ideal for a university in Ireland, as described in imperishable words by Dr. Newman.

"The danger ahead of university enterprise in this country is the danger of parochialism and of forgetting that the ideal professor is not a man who has only a local reputation. The standard of the universities in Ireland must be the same as the standard of the Universities of Paris, Great Britain, America and Berlin if the best possible education is to be provided for our youth."

The Minister of Education in the Free State Government wrote:—

"The improvements which I contemplate in the general scheme of education may be shortly described as follows:—

"(1) The extension of education to the greatest possible number of children up to the age of 18.

"(2) The widening of the basis of this extended education in such a way that it will offer the widest choice and be in the closest contact with the lives of the pupils of all ages and classes.

"The first necessity for the carrying out of this policy is the abolition of the system of water-tight compartments which divide education into so-called elementary education, intermediate education and junior technical education, and the substitution for these of an education which will be genuinely primary up to the end of the primary stage and genuinely secondary up to 16, the end of the junior secondary stage—a course, in other words, which will ensure that a boy of that age will have a liberal education that will be an outfit not merely for his occupation, but for the whole of life. After 16, which is the parting of the ways in education, we should look forward to education supplying for all children such secondary or technical training as will fit them for their later careers.

"The need of a post-primary education of some sort for all boys and girls is obvious. Primary education teaches boys and girls to read and write and cypher. It cannot at that stage teach them how to evaluate what they read or to form independent judgment on it and on the other facts of life. This is the function of post-primary education, and, as long as the majority of the boys and girls of Ireland lack this training, there will be a serious gap in our educational system. The secondary and technical systems have attempted to fill the gap for the towns, and I wish to see initiated, in addition to these, a really comprehensive system of part-time continuation education which will bring post-primary education within the reach of every boy and girl, through the country, and the curriculum of which will be connected in the closest possible fashion with their environment and their probable future occupations.

"The almost complete neglect of the Irish language as a factor of national culture has imposed on this Ministry the necessity of making very comprehensive counteracting provisions. I desire all who are interested in Irish education to understand clearly that I look forward to a time when the educational status of the national language will rest on the sound basis of public good-will and affection, and not on the artificial basis of governmental requirements."

On the motion of Professor R. A. S. Macalister, seconded by the Rev. Gordon Clements, the lecturer and those who had sent letters received the hearty thanks of the Association.

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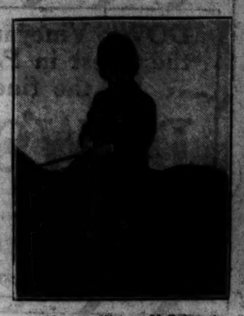
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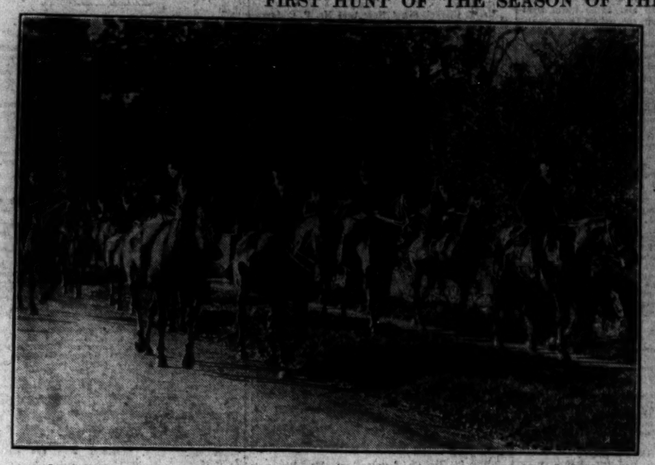


Scene at the Opening of the Kilkenny Hunt.



Mrs. Isaac Bell and the Countess of Ossory (on right).

FIRST HUNT OF THE SEASON OF THE "KILLING KILDARES."



General View of the Field at the first Hunt of the Season of the "Killing Kildares."



The Earl of Mayo (right) and Baron de Robeck.

AT THE HUNT.



Master Harrison, son of Colonel Harrison, at the Kildare Hunt.

DUBLIN TAXI-CAB IN CANAL.



The Taxi-cab which was driven into the Canal near Leeson street Bridge, Dublin.

BISHOP OF DOWN.



The Bishop of Down on his way to the Synod at Belfast yesterday.

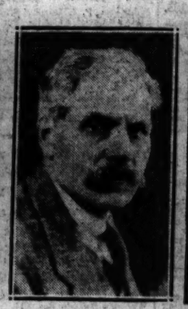
SOME PEOPLE IN THE NEWS TO-DAY.



Photos by] Dr. L. C. Purser, the new Vice-Provost of Trinity College, Dublin.



Mr. T. J. Johnston, Auditor of the College Historical Society.



Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, who tendered the Resignation of the Labour Government to the King yesterday.



Mr. Stanley Baldwin, who saw the King yesterday and accepted the task of forming a Government.



Mr. J. H. Thomas, the Labour Colonial Secretary, who was the guest of the Cutlers' Feast at Sheffield yesterday.



Mr. Austen Chamberlain, who will be a member of Mr. Baldwin's Government.



[Lafayette, etc. Mr. Winston Churchill, returned as a Constitutionalist, who is expected to have a seat in the new British Government.

TAXI-CAB IN GRAND CANAL.

A MIDNIGHT ACCIDENT.

Shortly before one o'clock yesterday morning a taxi-cab driven by Edward McQuade, of Tritonville avenue, Irishtown, was accidentally driven into the Grand Canal between Charlemont and Leeson street Bridges.

At St. Stephen's Green McQuade's taxi-cab was boarded by two women and a man, who said they would direct him where to go. He states that when near Harcourt terrace, which runs from Adelaide road to the canal, he was told to turn to the left and then go straight ahead. He thus turned into Harcourt terrace and made for the lights of a road opposite, not knowing that the canal lay between him and the road. Consequently he drove right into the water. He kept the car upright, however, and helped his passengers out. Beyond a cold douche, none of the party was much the worse. The passengers walked away after the accident.

The taxi-cab was taken out of the canal yesterday.

TOURIST DEVELOPMENT.

ULSTER COUNCIL'S ACTIVITY.

A meeting of the Council of Management of the Ulster Tourist Development Association was held yesterday. Mr. Robert Baillie, Chairman, presided, and there was a large attendance.

The Advertising Committee reported that the material for an official guide to Ulster was almost complete. The Committee was looking forward to a much larger publicity scheme for next year.

Mr. James Boyd moved that a small subcommittee should be appointed for the following purposes:—(1) The development of hitherto unknown attractions in Ulster; (2) the linking up of points of interest by road, rail, or water; (3) the provision of circular tours; (4) the forming of a central body to which representations could be made for broadening tourist development through the whole of the province; (5) the developing of the means of transit on rail and char-a-bancs, and on steamers on the various lakes; (6) to act as an advisory body in the providing of the capital necessary to exploit various projects, and the provision of adequate hotel accommodation.

It was decided that the Executive Committee of the Association should consider, at the earliest moment these projects, which, it is stated, was caused by a safety razor blade. The injury is not serious. Coggins is an ex-member of the Free State Army.

WOUNDED BY SAFETY-RAZOR BLADE.

Cecil Coggins, aged 30, of 4 Elliot place, Dublin, was taken from a house in Corporation street to Jervis street Hospital last night, suffering from a throat wound, which, it is stated, was caused by a safety razor blade. The injury is not serious. Coggins is an ex-member of the Free State Army.

THE LICENSING BILL.

CLAIM FOR EXEMPTION OF CLUBS.

Mr. Patrick Murphy, Hon. Secretary of the Clubs' Protection Association (which represents the registered clubs in the Saorstat), in an interview yesterday, spoke of the injustice and harshness of the proposals of the Government of the Saorstat in their new Licensing Bill as regards clubs. There were clubs and clubs, he said, and when a number of persons put down their money, secure premises, and are registered according to the law of 1904, they ought not to be deprived of their rights and privileges.

In the discussions in the Dail recently reference was made to the unfair competition between clubs and public-houses. There was no analogy between the two classes. The public-house was a trading concern, run for profit, whereas the club was run solely for its individual members, and the sale or supply of commodities in the club could not be regarded as a source of profit, it being merely a co-operative institution for the use of its members. The abolition of bogus clubs was a matter for the police authorities. It was, he said, regarded by the Association as an act of injustice to deprive existing clubs of rights which they have held for many years.

In Northern Ireland, he continued, where a drastic Licensing Act was passed, clubs were not interfered with, except that they were required to exhibit on their premises a notice showing the hours during which alcoholic liquors were supplied. In the Dail certain deputies claimed that there should be no restrictions on golf clubs, as there would be no abuse. Workingmen's clubs and middle-class clubs should be allowed similar privileges as those that were claimed for golf clubs. The Act of 1923, which was the law at present, allowed clubs an hour beyond the public-house closing time, and why the change was proposed in the new bill he found it difficult to understand. There are at present two clubs in Dublin which provide for night workers on the railways. There were other workers, such as newspaper employés, theatrical workers, post office people and bakers, who required refreshments at night, and who were quite as well entitled to have facilities as, say, golf clubs.

The College Historical Society Meeting yesterday: Mr. P. J. O. Reilly, Ex-Councillor Sir Joseph Glynn, Mr. T. J. Johnston, Auditor, Mr. J. J. Walsh (Minister for Posts and Telegraphs), and Mr. O. D. MacCarthy Wills (Auditor).

LIFFEY WATER-POWER.

BILLS TO BE CONSIDERED ON NOVEMBER 25th.

Counsel and solicitors and other representatives of the promoters of private bills concerning River Liffey hydro-electric schemes attended yesterday before the Joint Committee to which all three bills have been referred by Senate and Dail.

After a few minutes' discussion, in which the convenience of parties was sought to be met, the Joint Committee fixed the 25th November as the date on which the formal examination of the bills in committee will begin.

The sitting on that date will be in the Senate Committee Room (in the National Museum building), and will begin at 11.15 a.m.

The bills referred to the Joint Committee are the Dublin Electricity Supply, the East Leinster, and the Dublin and District Electricity Supply (Dublin Corporation's Bill). Various objections have been lodged, and the objectors will be heard.

DEATH IN POLICE COURT.

At Swansea yesterday morning a woman named Elizabeth Scott, who was the complainant in a breach of peace summons, said, as she was leaving the witness box, that unless she got peace she would drop dead. A moment later she fell and expired from heart failure.

BELFAST SHIPBUILDING.

TEN MONTHS' OUTPUT.

The output of the Belfast shipyards for the ten months ending 31st October was two motor ships and eight steamers, aggregating 100,000 tons. Messrs. Harland and Wolff's contribution to the total was one motor ship and two steamers, aggregating 61,000 tons, and Messrs. Workman, Clark's contribution was one motor ship and six steamers, aggregating 39,000 tons. Compared with the corresponding period of 1923, there was a falling off in the case of Messrs. Harland and Wolff of one vessel and 9,000 tons, but in the case of Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co. there was an increase in the number of vessels launched from five to seven, and the total output is 2,000 tons greater. The month of October made comparatively little difference to the figures, the only launch of that month being the cargo vessel for Sir William Reardon, Smith and Sons, but in the month of November there will be two launches, which will raise the year's total to 110,000 tons.

RAID ON JEWELLER'S SHOP.

A man smashed the window of the premises of Messrs. Haydon and Sons, jewellers, Thames street, Kingston-on-Thames, yesterday evening, and, seizing a tray containing three dozen diamond rings, valued at over £2,000, jumped into a waiting motor car and drove off with three other men. Passers-by were taken completely by surprise and made no attempt to stop them. The raid did not occupy more than a minute. The police have obtained the identification number of the car.

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HONOUR AND PRIZE EXAMINATIONS.

JUNIOR FRESHMEN.

Mathematics.—First Rank — Temple, Mortimer; McLaren, Kenneth James; Murray, Arthur Louis; Hartford, Richard Randell. Second Rank—Parkes, Frank; Pike, Robert Boisaill.

Classics.—First Rank—Whitton, Cuthbert Henry; Johnston, Eric Irvine; Hillis, Arthur Henry McNamara; Healy, Rowland Henry Savage. Second Rank—Cunningham, William Samuel; Stewart, Gerald Pakenham.

Mental and Moral Philosophy.—First Rank—Stewart, Gerald Pakenham; Temple, Mortimer; McCutcheon, Oliver William; Lewis, Walter Eakes; Hartford, Richard Randell; Greer, Edward Marshall (Hon), Andrew Conor, and Robertson, Arthur William). Second Rank—Johnston, Eric Irvine; Parkes, Frank.

Natural Science.—First Rank—Dockeray, Gerald Cecil. Second Rank—Manning, Dorothy May.

History.—First Rank—Lloyd, Brendan William; Lewis, George Eakes; Blanaerhasett, Ogoah; Counahan, Desmond Ralph Joseph Mary. Second Rank—Holliday, Eileen Frances; Elliott, May Spanner; Tipping, Maude.

English Literature.—First Rank—Pim, Mabel Elizabeth; Lloyd, Brendan William; Ashworth, Vida Geraldine; Grenfell, Rhoda Elizabeth Nancy. Second Rank—Blackham, Thea Margorette; Beckett, Samuel Barclay; Tipping, Maude.

French.—First Rank—Dargan, Teresa Christina Mary; Ashworth, Vida Geraldine; Langtry, Lillie Hempton; French, Rhoda Elizabeth Nancy Dagg, Eileen Phoebe; McCutcheon, Oliver William; Pim, Mabel Elizabeth. Second Rank—Beckett, Samuel Barclay.

German.—First Rank — McCutcheon, Oliver William; Langtry, Lillie Hempton. Second Rank —Dagg, Eileen Phoebe.

Italian.—First Rank—Beckett, Samuel Barclay, Kerry.

BELFAST PERSONATION CASES ADJOURNED.

The personation cases arising out of the recent Parliamentary election in Belfast were adjourned yesterday for a fortnight.

Mr. N. Hughes said that he had just been instructed to defend in some of these cases, and he desired an opportunity of investigating the circumstances and placing the cases properly before the Court. Mr. B. Donnelly and Mr. Begga were defending in other of the cases, and were agreeable to the course he proposed. The persons concerned were already on bail.

All the cases were adjourned.

IRISH AWARDS AT BREWERS' EXHIBITION.

The following were among the Irish awards at the Brewers' Exhibition, at the Agricultural Hall, London, yesterday:—

Special prizes for Irish barley, malting barley competition—Silver Cup—E. Doyle, Warrington, Kilkenny.

Silver Medal—O. Nagle, Banna, Kerry.

Bronze Medal—J. O'Connor, Ardfert, Kerry.

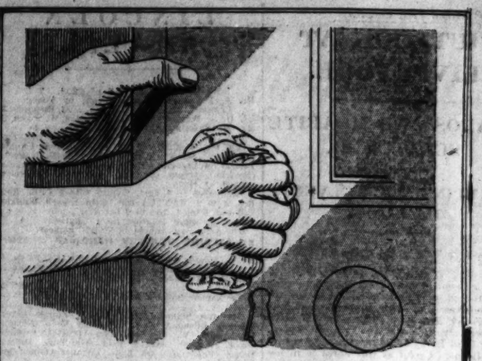
NEW CARDIFF STEAMER.

The steamship BuchanNess, built to the order of Sir William Reardon, Smith and Sons, Ltd., Cardiff, by Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co., Ltd., Belfast, successfully underwent a series of trials in Belfast Lough yesterday. She is of the shelter deck type, with topgallant forecastle, and has a length of 415 feet and breadth of 54 feet, with a gross tonnage of 4,570, and is constructed to the requirements of the British Corporation for their highest class B.S. "with freeboard."

After the trip the vessel left the Lough for the Bristol Channel to load for her maiden voyage.

Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co., Ltd., expect to launch a sister vessel for the same owners during this month.

At Burnley (Lancashire) yesterday, James O'Hara was remanded, charged on suspicion with having caused the death of Albert Bracewell. Superintendent Fairclough stated that Bracewell lived alone, and the previous night was found dead in his house. The prisoner surrendered to the police, and from his statement and what the police knew, he was detained.



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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

OUTLOOK AT LIVERPOOL.

PHAROS AND MOABITE SCRATCHED.

JUMPING AT WOLVERHAMPTON.

From Our Travelling Correspondent.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday Night.

It is altogether an enticing programme for the four-day meeting here which begins to-morrow afternoon. The announcement was made to-day that both Pharos and Moabite have been struck out of the Cup on Friday, leaving Lord Derby to be represented only by Sierra Leone. Useful as this horse is in his class, I doubt whether he has the requisite speed to keep his place round the turns here, and in making final remarks on the race I shall probably be choosing something else to beat him.

Racing begins to-morrow here with the Becher Steeplechase, for which Alcazar runs, The Bleeka waiting for the Grand Sefton on Friday. Alcazar is a proven Liverpool horse, and were he meeting the others in a handicap he would be giving weight all round, instead of confronting them on even terms. Rathrory may wait for the Sefton, and Chin Chin is hardly likely to be at his best yet. Alcazar's two most dangerous opponents may be Red Splash and Bright's Boy. The former of these two has not yet been tried at Aintree, and anyhow may not be quite at his best. Improved horse as he is, I cannot see Bright's Boy beating Alcazar, who, excluding the possibility of accident, should win.

THE KNOWSLEY NURSERY.

The advent of Brighter London in the Knowsley Nursery will be watched with much interest. I like his chance, despite the difficulty of getting a relative idea of the comparative merits of the English and the Irish two-year-olds. If he is a really good colt, he is not over done in weight with 8st. Grandpre, who was much expected for this race, will not start. Dignity waits for the Downe Nursery, but good chances on the book are possessed by the Alga filly, the best of Cottrill's, either Iron Mask or Gonedry, Miss Megan, who represents Taylor in preference to the Flying Spear colt; Little Mark, and Silver Idol. The last-named, who is trained by Mr. Persse for Major Parr, is a good deal fancied, but I shall take BRIGHTER LONDON to win.

St. Germans is an automatic selection for the Liverpool St. Leger, as I do not imagine that he will be severely pressed to beat Bucks Yeoman.

AT WOLVERHAMPTON.

I missed the doubtful delights of Lincoln this afternoon and made a journey across a water-logged country to the jumping meeting at Wolverhampton. Rarely at this time of the year has the centre of England presented such a flooded appearance, and I believe that that remarkably knowledgeable person, "the oldest inhabitant," cannot look back on similar conditions. However, there had been sharp frost overnight at Dunstall Farm, and the going was quite remarkably good. The sun shone through the afternoon, although there was a sharp touch of frost in the air, and it was altogether a pleasant and well-attended meeting, in sharp contrast to the meagre patronage which Lincoln received yesterday.

It was pleasant, too, to renew an old acquaintanceship with the eleven-year-old Con Cregan, whom his owner, Mr. Harry Brown, rode in the Stanton Steeplechase, and who, never putting a foot wrong, won easily from Turning Point and Aiken Drum.

The success of another Irish-bred horse in Potheen has also to be chronicled. He won the principal 'chase of the day, the Shrewsbury Handicap, quite easily from Jimmu, the pair being a long way clear of Rathmore, whom the judge placed as a bad third. Rathmore is now in the same stable as Jimmu, that of Mr. G. P. Sanday, in Cheshire. It was quite a good field that went to the post for this race, and there was a rather unusual proportion of falls. One to come down was the favourite, Denikin, who fell at the open ditch past the turn opposite the stands.

An unfortunate loser was the Irish mare, Silver Somme, who was heavily backed at the last moment, and who in all probability would have won had she not come down two fences from home. This mare is likely to win a good three mile 'chase in England this season, and it is remarkable that when the late Sir Albert Bowen's 'chasers were sold at Alexandra Park a few weeks back this mare was retained by a patron of Poole's stable for the paltry sum of 55 guineas.

She is well worth more than ten times the amount. Probably the fact that she had not run previously in England and that few people knew that she had won several steeplechases in Ireland accounted for it. On the same afternoon old Henry B., who won a selling steeplechase yesterday by fifteen lengths, was bought, also by one of Poole's patrons, for 21 guineas.

POOLE'S TWO WINNERS.

Although Poole was unlucky with Silver Somme, he managed to annex a couple of races with those well-known patched-up performers Saxham Prince and Lukeston. The former took a selling hurdle, but a stranger at the Ring-side forced the buying-in price afterwards up to 280 guineas. Lukeston has done well since he was put to 'chasing, and he carried off the Novices' event, for which he started favourite, from a newcomer over a country in Dash o' White, a nice four-year-old owned by Mr. W. G. Clarke, a Norfolk ex-Master of Hounds, who used to be in the 2nd Life Guards.

There was little to choose for favouritism in the Thorneycroft Hurdle between Cyclax, who was a useful colt in Ireland, but has not distinguished himself in this country, and Ballyalton. Cyclax did not take his hurdles too cleanly in the early stages of the race, and made a bad mistake before passing the stands for the first time. The pair jumped the last hurdle with Cyclax holding a slight lead, but Ballyalton ran him out of it on the flat and won easily by two lengths. Sun Charmer, who won the Liverpool Summer Cup last year, was making his first appearance over hurdles here and finished a bad third.

There was vigorous betting over the Walsall Hurdle, in which the Ring first went 3 to 1 Forewarned, Prince Sadim and Isle of Wight, and fours about the same horses; but a rush of money at the last moment for Attaboy made him first favourite. Last thoughts were best; for, though Prince Sadim approached the last hurdle with a slight lead, he hit it and lost a good deal of ground, which let Attaboy up to beat him easily by three lengths. Vonna ran Forewarned out of third place.

GALTEE MORE.

"FORM" HORSES.

LIVERPOOL.

1.15—Bright's Boy.
1.45—Roman Fiddle.
2.15—King of Clubs.
2.45—Silent Guard.
3.15—Pilum.
3.45—St. Germans.
DOUBLE—Pilum (nap) and St. Germans.

A Student of Form.

BETTING FORECAST.

LIVERPOOL.

1.15 Race—3 to 1 agst. Bright's Boy, 4 to 1 Red Splash, 9 to 2 Knockcroghery II., 6 to 1 Hackdale, 7 to 1 each Snapper and Devonport, 10 to 1 Lone Hand, 100 to 8 any other.

1.45 Race—5 to 2 agst. Roman Fiddle, 4 to 1 Sun Crest, 9 to 2 Darragh, 6 to 1 Tobermory, 7 to 1 each Indian Gauze and Rowland's Request, 8 to 1 each Quilp and Montfort, 10 to 1 Credit, 100 to 7 any other.

2.15 Race—9 to 4 agst. King of Clubs, 7 to 2 Glantrague, 9 to 2 Bossover, 6 to 1 Americus Boy, 7 to 1 each Plucky Jenny and Red Crest, 10 to 1 any other.

2.45 Race—11 to 4 agst. Brighter London, 4 to 1 Silent Guard, 5 to 1 Flying Spear, 7 to 1 each Iron Mask and Open Prospect, 8 to 1 Little Mark, 10 to 1 each Pensacola and Silver Idol, 100 to 8 Firouze Mahal, 100 to 7 any other.

3.15 Race—6 to 4 agst. Pilum, 3 to 1 Arcade, 4 to 1 Jazz Band, 5 to 1 Civic Guard, 7 to 1 Mark Marten, 10 to 1 Great Adventure.

3.45 Race—5 to 2 on St. Germans, 5 to 1 agst. King Emperor, 7 to 1 Spindrift, 10 to 1 Bucks Yeoman, 100 to 6 any other.

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LINCOLN RESULTS.

1.30—HAINTON PLATE of £200. 7 f.
Mr. A. Pennant's MANTUA Colt, by Young Pegasus, 2, 7-2 ......G. Richards 1
Ld. H. de Walden's TRIPLEX, 2, 6-8 W. Murch 2
Mr. M. Vasey's LITTLE RED RAT, 3, 8-8 J. Taylor 3

Also ran—William Tell (H. Beasley), True Knight (M. Beary), Sobriety (Crisp), Irish Dail (G. Hulme), Tamari (McLachlan), No Catch (H. Green), Pomade (Bonham), Gypsy (Sirrett). Off 1.34. (Winner trained by Hogg.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Gypsy, 7 to 2 Little Red Rat, 4 to 1 MANTUA colt, 6 to 1 each William Tell and Triplex, 100 to 8 bar five.

Won by eight lengths; three lengths.
The winner was bought in for 510 guineas.

2.0—SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP of £200. 7f.
Mr. C. Gordon's b. f. MENLOUGH CASTLE, by Holiday House—Irish Grace, 8-7 ..C. Elliott 1
Mr. H. McAlinden's JUVENILE F. 7-11 J. Sirrett 2
Lady Nunburnholme's ANNIE LAURIE F., 8-3 McLachlan, jun. 3

Also ran—Stansted (McFarlane), Bramble Berry (Alford), Dilemma (J. Leach), Miss Myra (Orme), Pond Lily (V. Pick), Decium (Dearie), Preston Guild (Wragg), Avenue Bold (Harding), Dream Dance (Bonham). Off 2.3. (Winner trained by J. Jarvis.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Juvenile filly, 4 to 1 Annie Laurie, 5 to 1 MENLOUGH CASTLE, 6 to 1 Miss Myra, 10 to 1 Bramble Berry, 100 to 8 bar five.

Won by a neck; three lengths.
The winner was sold to Mr. J. Johnstone for 100 guineas.

2.30—CHAPLIN NURSERY PLATE (handicap) of 200 sovs. Second 25 sovs. 7 f.
Mr. S. Joel's b. c. ST. NAPOLEAN, by Polymelus—St. Josephine, 8-6 ....McLachlan 1
Mr. A. de Rothschild's RIDING LIGHT, 9-0 J. Childs 2
Lord Derby's DAME PRUDENT F., 8-12 T. Weston 3

Also ran—Sir Picton (Thwaites), Beautiful Kiss (Orme), Bridal Chamber (Elliott), Belah (R. Jones), Bell Heather (G. Hulme), Tarcel (Perryman), Porcelain (T. Pryor), Bewilderment (L. Brown), Brown Valentine (Alford), Desert Star (Sirrett). Off 2.32. (Winner trained by De Mestre.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Bridal Chamber, 5 to 1 each Riding Light and Dame Prudent filly, 6 to 1 each ST. NAPOLEAN, Beautiful Kiss and Brown Valentine, 100 to 7 bar six.

Won by two lengths; a head.

3.0—LINCOLN AUTUMN HANDICAP. A plate of 300 sovs. Second 25 sovs. 1¼ m.
Lord Derby's ch. g. MANDELIEU, by Harry of Hereford—Sunny Florence, 3, 7-4 T. Weston 1
Lord Barnby's MONK OF BLYTH, 4, 7-8 C. Parker 2
Mr. Madden's CHAPEAU, 4, 7-6.......T. Pryor 3
Mr. H. Barclay's Wilmington, 3, 7-8...W. Alford 0
Mr. Gordon's Mellbeus, 5, 8-13.......C. Elliott 0
Mr. Hull's False Alarm, 6, 8-7.......Perryman 0
Mr. L. Brook's Carnforth, 6, 7-10...H. Wragg 0
Mr. A. de Rothschild's Peccadillo, 3, 7-2 Bonham 0

Off 3.2. (Winner trained by Lambton.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. False Alarm, 4 to 1 Mellbeus, 6 to 1 each MANDELIEU and Chapeau, 8 to 1 Carnforth, 10 to 1 bar four.

On settling down, Mandelieu led from Wilmington and Monk of Blyth, with Carnforth and Chapeau next. At half-way Carnforth joined Mandelieu, with Monk of Blyth next, and the last-named, leading into the straight, was in front until close home, when Mandelieu came with a rush and won by a short head; a length and a half separated second and third. Peccadillo was fourth, and Wilmington last.

3.30—WELBECK THREE-YEAR-OLD PLATE. A high-weight handicap of 200 sovs. For three-year-olds. Second 10 sovs. 5 f.
Colonel A. Jenkins's b. g. HARPIST, by Hapsburg—Harmonica, 9-6 ....F. Winter 1
Mr. Wylam's HONEY GUIDE, 7-11....Perryman 2
Captain H. Broadley's GULISTAN, 7-4 A. Burns 3

Also ran—Argozone (Donoghue), Padua (J. Evans), Tom Tell Troth (Weston), Amazement (Orme), Aldebaran (Wragg), Princess Sublime (Crisp), Lady of Lyons (Mollekin), Torsion (A. Haynes), Aggravation (B. Lynch), Irish Skies (J. Sirett), Rusovia (H. Leach). Off 3.34. (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—7 to 2 agst. Argozone, 5 to 1 Amazement, 6 to 1 Tom Tell Troth, 7 to 1 HARPIST, 8 to 1 Honey Guide, 10 to 1 each Padua and Irish Skies, 100 to 7 bar seven.

Won by three-quarters of a length; half a length.

3.55—ELSHAM (Apprentices') STAKES, £3 each, with £100 added. Maidens at closing. Second £10. 1¼ m.
Lord Derby's br. f. BESS O' TH' BARN, by Phalaris—Tabard, 3, 6-11......W. Jameson 1
Mr. H. Sturdy's DESERT CHIEF, 4, 7-11 R. George 2
Sir J. Robinson's KITTY TYRREL, 2, 6-11 W. Morton 3

Also ran—Beautiful Maud (Kettlewell), Leasingham Earl (Wilson). Off 3.57. (Winner trained by Lambton.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Beautiful Maud, 5 to 2 BESS O' TH' BARN, 4 to 1 Kitty Tyrrel, 8 to 1 bar three.

Won by six lengths; three lengths.

NEWPORT.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

1.30—ABERTILLERY HANDICAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m.

Horse	Age	st.	lb.	Horse	Age	st.	lb.
Catamaran	a	12	7	Annie Darling	5	11	9
Singlecote	a	12	3	Misconduct	5	11	4
His Luck	a	12	2	Lady Alvey	6	11	0
Craganock	a	11	11	Blue Bridge	6	10	10
Perseverance	a	11	9				

2.0—CAERLEON (S.) HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Horse	Age	st.	lb.	Horse	Age	st.	lb.
False Report	4	12	7	Honeysuckle	6	11	0
Babu	4	12	3	By Proxy	6	10	13
Son o' Melton	a	11	13	Drink-Less	5	10	12
Jack Role	a	11	13	Ulidia	a	10	9
R. Jay	6	11	9	Little Milford	a	10	7
Oh Help	4	11	7	Pot o' Cream	4	10	7
Gondolier	a	11	4	Simon's Craft	a	10	6
The Zealot	5	11	4	Crumple	a	10	5
Stream	6	11	4	Ballyhandy	a	10	5
Maduro	5	11	3	Cock Eye	a	10	3
Suffolk				Salona	4	10	0
Dumpling	4	11	2	Gramophone	5	10	0
Wild Duck	5	11	1	Rosherville	a	10	0

2.30—LLANGIBBY (S.) HANDICAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Horse	Age	st.	lb.	Horse	Age	st.	lb.
Munster Marine	a	12	7	The Antelope II.	a	11	4
Turning Point	a	12	3	Dug Major	a	11	4
Rousham	a	12	3	Hermocles	5	11	4
Yeoman	5	11	8	Con Cregan	a	11	3
Pastures New	a	11	6	Turbit	a	10	8
Certosa	a	11	6	Locator	a	10	4

3.0—TREDEGAR THREE YEARS OLD OPTIONAL SELLING HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 1½ m.

Bhow Whow	Answers
Granham	L.L.
La Chasse	Magenta
Loyal Scot	Toc
Astonishment	Friable
Lighted Candle	Annacloy
Shapfell	Clarobie

3.30—EBBW VALE NOVICES' 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Horse	Age	Horse	Age
Jolly Hampton	4	White Splash	4
Jevington Lad	4	Fruscino	4
Ground Scout	6	The Knight	6
Dark Cloud II.	6	Colcannon	4
False Report	4	Royal Toy	4
Postino	4	Pride of the Hive	4
Relay	6	Apple Pie	5
Ryedale	4		

4.0—BLAENAVON (AMATEUR RIDERS) HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Horse	Age	st.	lb.	Horse	Age	st.	lb.
Oliver's Mount	5	12	7	Four-poster	5	11	8
Barcedo	a	12	6	Son o' Melton	a	11	4
Caltrop	a	12	4	My Hobby	4	10	11
Nonentity	a	11	13	King's Pleasure	a	10	10
Moonbeam	a	11	12	Someday	a	10	8
Greenlawn	4	11	10	Bright Shot	a	10	8
Carrig Long	5	11	9	Some Dance	a	10	7
Indian Gypsy	5	11	9	Conciliation II.	a	10	7
Duffy	a	11	8	St. Gingoulph	a	10	7

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best—King of Clubs. Double—King of Clubs and Brighter London.

Daily News:—Double—King of Clubs and Pilum.

Daily Express:—Safety bet—King of Clubs (to win). Double—King of Clubs and Silver Idol.

Daily Mirror:—Double—King of Clubs (nap) and Pilum.

Daily Graphic:—Double—Montfort and Glitter Gold.

Daily Mail:—Special selection—Flying Spear colt.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Friar's Melody has left Malton for this country.

Pharos and Moabite were struck out of their Liverpool engagements at 3.40 p.m. on Monday.

By the fall of Silver Somme in the Shrewsbury Steeplechase at Wolverhampton yesterday, his rider, W. Speck, was injured.

Entries close to-day for several valuable races at Baldoyle and Leopardstown, and the Maiden Plates at the Ward Hunt, Meath Hunt, and Louth Hunt meetings.

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LIVERPOOL

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

Not since Doncaster September have we had a programme quite of the value and in general importance comparable to the one at Aintree this week. Apart from the amount of the sweepstakes, of which there are many, there is a sum of 12,300 sovs. of guaranteed prize money to be won in connection with the twenty-four races which form the four days' schedule, included in which are races of every conceivable character and distance. Even at Cheltenham in March next the menu, rich as it is with a prize list of nearly £10,000, is dwarfed by the Aintree show this week. There need be small fear concerning the going, as the subsoil here is of sand without a suspicion of clay, which two days of fine weather will render almost perfect for racing purposes. Every afternoon there is a tit-bit to arrest attention, and to-day there are the Knowsley Nursery, Liverpool St. Leger, and Lancashire Handicap to draw a crowd. St. Germans appears to be faced by small difficulty in his attack upon the "Leger." The Nursery, on the other hand, is an open proposition, now that Grandpre is reported amiss, and Miss Megan and Silent Guard will take some getting over. Bellman's 10lb. extra will probably keep him out of the Lancashire Handicap field, for which I hear that Civic Guard is strongly fancied by the stable. Invercauld was coughing last week, and is scratched, but Sebastian is reported to be quite all right. Alcazar contests the Becher Steeplechase, leaving The Bleeka to represent the stable in the Grand Sefton. Selections:—

Becher Steeplechase—Alcazar.
Aintree Plate—Wootton's selected.
Wavertree Plate—Americus Boy.
Knowsley Nursery—Miss Megan.
Lancashire Handicap—Civic Guard.
Liverpool St. Leger—St. Germans.

1.15—BECHER STEEPLECHASE, £300. Second £30, third £25. 2½ m.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	Age	st.	lb.
THE BLEEKA (Mr. M. McKevitt)	Poole	a	12	0
ALCAZAR (Mr. W. McAlpine)	Poole	a	12	0
BRIGHT'S BOY (Lady Edgar)	Whitaker	5	11	2
HACKDAILE (Mr. E. Stanley)	Hastings	5	11	2
(The above have arrived.)				
CHICAGO (Mr. A. Aston)	A. Doyle	a	12	0
KNOCKCROGHERY II. (Mr. H. Brown)	H. Brown	a	12	0
MOUNT ETNA (Sir E. Edgar)	Whitaker	a	12	0
GOOD POINTS (Mr. W. Sankey)	H. Brown	a	12	0
KIRKWHELPINGTON (Count Frasso)	Private	a	12	0
DEVONPORT (Mr. F. Hartigan)	F. Hartigan	a	12	0
THOR (Capt. McDougal)	McDougal	a	12	0
JACK HORNER (Mr. K. MacKay)	MacKay	a	12	0
FAR AND AWAY (Mr. G. S. Poole)	Private	a	12	0
CHIN CHIN (Sir F. Price)	Gilpin	a	12	0
THE STAR (Mr. W. Ransom)	Hamshaw	6	12	0
MISCONDUCT (Maj. Methven)	Powell	5	11	2
SNAPPER (Mr. W. Murray)	McDougal	6	12	0
LONE HAND (Mr. A. Hedges)	Hedges	6	12	0
RATHRORY (Mr. E. Kieran)	M. Dawson	a	12	0
MANBY GATE (Sir R. McAlpine)	Poole	a	12	0
HAGIOLOGY (Mr. A. Newey)	Newey	a	11	11
CAIRBRE (Mr. A. McCann)	M. Dawson	5	11	2
RED SPLASH (Maj. Wyndham)	Withington	5	11	2

1.45—AINTREE PLATE, £200. 1 m. 2 f. 170 yards.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	Age	st.	lb.
INDIAN GAUZE (Mr. G. Dick)	Beaumont	a	9	2
MONTFORT (Mr. Jenks)	Moreton	a	9	2
ROMAN FIDDLE (Mr. H. Crawford)	Vasey	6	8	13
SUN CREST (Mrs. H. Walker)	H. Leader	3	8	6
(The above have arrived.)				
DRIVE ON (Sir A. Butt)	W. Jarvis	5	9	2
IRONBRIDGE (Mr. B. Jarvis)	B. Jarvis	4	9	2
FLORID (Mr. I. Vernon)	Wootton	4	9	2
PORTUMNA (Lady Nunburnholme)	Rochfort	4	9	2
LEMBACH (Mr. W. de Pledge)	F. Leader	5	9	2
PLUMB SQUARE (Mr. H. Lines)	Lines	4	9	2
DARRAGH (Mr. T. Queen)	Wyllie	4	8	13
TOBERMORY (Mr. S. Wootton)	Wootton	4	8	13
KARELIA (Mr. J. Scott)	Thomson	5	8	13
QUILP (Mr. T. Lofthouse)	Manser	4	8	13
SALE TICKET (Mr. L. Fattorini)	Skelton	4	8	13
GOLDSMITH (Mrs. E. Brownlee)	Westlake	3	8	9
DUSKY BELLE (Sir E. Edgar)	Whitaker	3	8	9
LADY ZERO (Mr. H. Greville)	Templeman	3	8	6
MANDELIEU (Lord Derby)	Lambton	3	8	6
ROWLAND'S REQUEST (Mr. R. Brendon)	Foster	2	6	10
BROWN VALENTINE (Mr. J. De Rothschild)	Pratt	2	6	10
ILEETEM (Capt. Elsey)	Elsey	2	6	7
CREDIT (Mr. J. Hoyle)	Reader	2	6	7

2.15—WAVERTREE PLATE, £200. 5 f.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	Age	st.	lb.
KING OF CLUBS (Mr. Davidson)	Cottrill	4	9	0
AMERICUS BOY (Mr. H. Sidebottom)	H. Leader	4	9	0
GLANTRAGUE (Mrs. McLaughlin)	Vasey	5	8	11
RED CREST (Mrs. Walker)	H. Leader	4	8	11
PLUCKY JENNY (Sir E. Edgar)	Whitaker	3	8	9
(The above have arrived.)				
ZOOMP (Mr. J. Benson)	P. Lowe	5	9	0
KING THROSTLE (Miss W. Knight)	Bennett	5	9	0
SURE GAIN (Mr. H. Cottrill)	Cottrill	3	8	12
GLITTER GOLD (Mr. T. Howard)	Lines	3	8	12
LUCENTIO (Sir D. Broughton)	Farquharson	a	8	11
GLENESKAKI (Mrs. Rollinson)	Skelton	a	8	11
BRAVE LASSIE (Mr. W. Sears)	Leach, jun.	4	8	11
TOXAWAY (Mrs. McLaughlin)	Vasey	4	8	11
CHARITY LAND (Mr. L. Fattorini)	Skelton	3	8	11
GLENNELL (Mr. J. Settle)	C. Davis	3	8	9
BOSSOVER (Mr. S. Wootton)	Wootton	3	8	9
KLONDYKE (Sir G. Murray)	Persse	3	8	9
LADY KILLOWEN (Mr. P. McMahon)	Barthropp	2	7	9
LITTLE GIFT (Mr. O'Sullivan)	O'Sullivan	2	7	9
CALIBAN (Mr. W. de Pledge)	F. Leader	2	7	9
ZAZA (Mr. W. de Pledge)	F. Leader	2	7	9

2.45—KNOWSLEY NURSERY of 1,500 sovs. Second 70 sovs., third 30 sovs. 5 f.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	st.	lb.
FLYING SPEAR C. (Mr. Singer)	Taylor	9	0
IRON MASK (Mr. S. Whitburn)	Cottrill	8	12
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir A. Bailey)	R. Day	8	1
SILENT GUARD (Mr. G. Hardy)	Hogg	8	1
BRIGHTER LONDON (Slocock)	Coombs	8	1
PENSACOLA (Mr. J. Galstaun)	O. Bell	8	0
BRAVADO (Mr. J. B. Joel)	Morton	8	0
FIROUZE MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	7	11
EVANA (Lady Bradford)	Farquharson	7	10
SILVER IDOL (Major Parr)	Persse	7	8
LITTLE MARK (Mr. Buxton)	W. Waugh	7	8
(The above have arrived.)			
DIGNITY (Sir C. Hyde)	Scobie	8	13
GOLDBOUND (12lb. ex.) (Lady Edgar)	Whitaker	8	12
ALGO F. (Mr. A. A. Baird)	Hogg	8	6
GONEDRY (Mr. H. D. Dennis)	Cottrill	8	5
MISS MEGAN (Mr. W. Cazalet)	Taylor	8	5
GRANDPRE (Lord Derby)	Lambton	8	4
KING'S YELLOW (Mr. Gordon)	J. Jarvis	8	0
BROTH OF A BOY (Duke of Portland)	Farquharson	7	10
WANG (Sir J. Rutherford)	R. Day	7	10
PRINCESS PAULINE (S. Joel)	De Mestre	7	5
BALIOS (Lord Lascelles)	R. Marsh	7	4

3.15—LANCASHIRE HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 1m. 6f.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	Age	st.	lb.
JAZZ BAND (Mr. A. Scott)	A. Scott	5	9	0
MARK MARTEN (in. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. Davidson)	Cottrill	3	8	3
ARCADE (Mr. de Rothschild)	Watson	3	8	1
CIVIC GUARD (Kershaw)	O. Anthony	5	7	13
GREAT ADVENTURE (Lord Queenborough)	Rochfort	3	6	6
(The above have arrived.)				
BELLMAN (10lb. ex.) (Mr. F. Curzon)	Watts	5	9	2
BATON ROUGE (Tattersall)	Taylor	5	8	13
SHIPPON (Mr. T. Davidson)	Cottrill	7	8	12
SPITHEAD (Lord Derby)	Lambton	3	8	4
SEBASTIAN (Mr. S. Tattersall)	Taylor	5	7	8
CLOUDBANK (Mr. J. White)	L. Ward	3	7	7
FURIOUS (Mr. E. Barnett)	Gilbert	3	7	2
ACTIUS (Sir L. Green)	J. Renwick	4	7	2
PILUM (Mr. W. M. G. Singer)	Taylor	3	7	0

3.45—LIVERPOOL ST. LEGER (a sweepstakes), of £20 each, £15 ft., with £500 added. Second £70, third £30. For three-year-olds. 1¾ m.

Horse (Owner)	Trainer	st.	lb.
ST. GERMANS (Lord Astor)	Taylor	9	5
SPINDRIFT (Lord Derby)	Lambton	8	11
BUCKS YEOMAN (Sir A. Bailey)	R. Day	8	2
COMUS (Sir J. Robinson)	F. Leach	8	2
(The above have arrived.)			
SANSOVINO (Lord Derby)	Lambton	10	0
CAPE HORN (Lord Glanely)	C. Marsh	9	9
HOBGOBLIN (Mr. A. de Rothschild)	Watson	9	9
REGGIO (Mr. Reid Walker)	Taylor	9	9
SOLDEUR (M. M. Calmann)	Taylor	9	5
SPALPEEN (Sir E. Hulton)	D. Waugh	9	5
BLACK SHEEP (Lord Astor)	Taylor	9	2
CORDOBO (Mr. J. Benson)	P. Lowe	9	0
ALIMONY (Mr. C. Whitburn)	Cottrill	8	11
MANDELIEU (Lord Derby)	Lambton	8	11
SKYWAVE (Lord Glanely)	C. Marsh	8	7
PONT ROYAL (Lady Wavertree)	S. Darling	8	7
NEIGEUSE (M. M. Goudchaux)	Taylor	8	4
NORTH BUCKS (Mr. Fraser)	R. Day	8	4
SILVER CHALICE (Sir P. Mostyn)	C. Leader	8	2
KING EMPEROR (Lord Glanely)	C. Marsh	8	2
CYRUS (Mr. C. Wadia)	Crawford	8	2
MAGNUM BONUM (Captain Davy)	Beatty	8	2
PINNACE (Mr. Sol Joel)	De Mestre	7	13
MOTHER OF PEARL (Mr. Reid Walker)	C. Doyle	7	13
BUSTLE UP (Lord Penrhyn)	H. Sadler	7	13
BONGPHALIA (Mr. J. Settle)	C. Davis	7	13

DUNSTALL PARK (WOLVERHAMPTON) RESULTS.

1.30—DUDLEY HURDLE RACE (S.), £100. Second £5. 2 m.
Mr. E. Tattersall's b. g. SAXHAM PRINCE, by Saxham—Galloping Ivy, a, 11-10...L. Rees 1
Mr. J. Holmes's FALSE REPORT, a, 11-10 D. Behan 2
Mr. F. Thrale's WRANGLE, 6, 11-10...W. Smith 3

Also ran—Transform (Parvin), Cocksure (J. Anthony), Righlina (F. Saunders), Contractor (W. S. Peck), Brandy Snap (J. Goswell), Mygiya (Whelehan), St. Corentin (B. Prioleau), Croset (Mr. M. Hutton). Off 1.30. (Winner trained by G. Poole.)

Betting—7 to 4 on SAXHAM PRINCE, 7 to 1 each agst. Cocksure and Contractor, 8 to 1 St. Corentin, 10 to 1 bar four.

Won by three lengths; a length and a half. St. Corentin refused to start, and threw his jockey.
The winner was bought in for 280 gns.

2.0—THORNEYCROFT HURDLE RACE, £150. Second £30, third £20. 2 m.
Sir F. Price's b. c. BALLYALTON, by Argos—Kroon Lass, 4, 11-6 ....Sargeant 1
Mr. Barclay Walker's CYCLAX, 5, 11-10 F. Wootton 2
Sir D. Broughton's SUN CHARMER, 5, 12-0 D. Dick 3

Also ran—Magic Rod (Owner), Fellowship (J. Goswell), Mount Rivers (J. Hamey), Familiarity (H. Brace). Off 2.0. (Winner trained by Gilbert.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. BALLYALTON, 11 to 8 Cyclax, 10 to 1 bar two.

Won by two lengths; a bad third.

2.30—WALSALL HURDLE HANDICAP of £200. Second £10, third £5. 2 m.
Mr. R. Davison's bl. g. ATTABOY, by Jack—Jester—Broken Doll, 5, 11-0......V. Piggott 1
Mr. M. Goode's PRINCE SADIM, 4, 11-0 T. Leader 2
Lord Wavertree's VONNA, 4, 11-3.......J. Mason 3

Also ran—Puck (A. Escott), Isle of Wight (F. Wootton), Forewarned (J. Anthony), St. Madoc (L. Rees), Festoon (J. Waugh), Rathluck (G. Goswell), Trusty (W. Stott), Ground Scout (Owner), Bruff Battle (G. Truslove). Off 2.30. (Winner trained by E. Piggott.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. ATTABOY, 9 to 2 each Isle of Wight, Forewarned, and Prince Sadim, 5 to 1 Vonna, 8 to 1 each Trusty and Ground Scout, 100 to 6 bar seven.

Won by three lengths; two lengths. Forewarned was fourth.

3.0—STANTON STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP (S.), £100. Second £5. 2 m.
Mr. H. A. Brown's bl. g. CON CREGAN, by Desmond—Bushey Belle, a, 11-3.......Owner 1
Major Methven's TURNING POINT, a, 12-0 Parvin 2
Mr H. Harrison's AIKEN DRUM, a, 12-1 Whelehan 3

Also ran—Roisel (I. Morgan), Loppy II. (G. Goswell), Yeoman (E. McMoran), Hermocles (F. Mason), Artistry (J. Ward), Dean's Grange (F. Croney), Red Gold (Mr. M. Hutton). Off 3.1. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Roisel, 7 to 2 CON CREGAN, 5 to 1 Aiken Drum, 6 to 1 Turning Point, 8 to 1 Dean's Grange, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; two lengths. Hermocles was fourth.
The winner was bought in for 140 guineas.

3.30—SHREWSBURY STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, £200. Second £20, third £10. 3 m.
Lord Londesborough's ch. g. POTEEN, by Irishman—Germicide, a, 10-3.......G. Truslove 1
Mr. G. Sanday's JIMMU, a, 11-13....C. Donnelly 2
Mr. A. Hood's RATHMORE, a, 10-11 A. Wandby 3

Also ran—Denikin (J. Hogan, jun.), What Luck (R. Prioleau), Square Up (F. Espin), Santox (Parvin), Silver Somme (W. Speck), The Lout (E. Foster). Off 3.31. (Winner trained by Coulthwaite.)

Betting—5 to 4 each agst. Denikin and Silver Somme, 7 to 2 Jimmu, 6 to 1 POTEEN, 7 to 1 What Luck, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by four lengths; a bad third.

4.0—NOVICES' STEEPLECHASE, £150. Second £30, third £20. 2 m.
Mr. E. Tattersall's b. g. LUKESTON, by Servitor—Campsie, a, 11-2..........L. Rees 1
Mr W. Clarke's DASH O' WHITE, 4, 10-5 W. Hill 2
Mr. E. Parrott's JIMMY, a, 10-11.......Sargeant 3

Also ran—Hagiology (W. Stott), Gerald Junior (J. Goswell), Jim Langford (G. Goswell), Fruscino (C. Donnelly), Middlethorpe (Burford), Guidance (J. W. Bast). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by G. Poole.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. LUKESTON, 5 to 1 Gerald Junior, 5 to 1 Jimmy, 6 to 1 Fruscino, 7 to 1 Hagiology, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by four lengths; two lengths.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Manchester November Handicap and Derby Cup, Derby—Old Nic, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Liverpool engagements—Pharos and Moabite, at 3.40 p.m. on Monday.
All engagements—Rose Prince and Forseti.

LIVERPOOL MEETING.
Grand Sefton Steeplechase—Vaulx.
Aintree All-Aged Plate—Inland.
Lancashire Handicap—Invercauld.
Wavertree Plate—Ballast.
Witherslack Nursery Handicap—Maranan filly.
Liverpool Autumn Foal Stakes—Sparkling Gem.

WINDSOR MEETING.
Windsor engagements—Hideaway, Badnaby, Gifted, Eager Stuart.
Black Nest Handicap—Razor, Branxholme.
Forest Nursery Handicap—Wavini.

MISCELLANEOUS.
All engagements this year—Vain Percy.
All engagements—Gadarene (dead), Oshma (dead), Tarquin, Rose Prince, Prey, Forsetti, Waritza, Too Bad, Swindle (dead), Mondamin, Eton Wick.

GOLF.

MOSES O'NEILL'S RECORD AT WOODBROOK.

Moses O'Neill gave a sparkling exhibition of golf at Woodbrook, Bray, yesterday afternoon, when with a round of 72 he made a record for the course—a record which is likely to stand for a long time. Under ideal conditions, he played perfect golf, his driving being of exceptional length and his approaching the acme of accuracy. Perhaps the outstanding feature of his grand round—for a 72 at Woodbrook represented perfect golf—was a remarkable recovery at the third. Here he hit two balls out of bounds, and a bad hole seemed inevitable, but he holed a chip shot and was thus able to register a 5. Inspired by his good fortune, he proceeded to give an exhibition from that on which was equal to the most finished he has ever given, his 6 at the fourteenth being his only slip. Out in 34, he returned in 38, his card reading:—

Out .... 345444434 = 34
In .... 454465424 = 38
= 72

Second prize went to T. Gaffney, of Killiney, with 155, and there was a tie for third between E. Bradshaw and J. Murray with 162. The scores were as follow:—

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	Agte.
M. O'Neill (Robin Hood), +6	74	72	152
T. Gaffney (Killiney), +2	78	73	155
E. Bradshaw (Delgany), scr.	78	84	162
J. Murray (Grange), scr.	83	79	162
T. O'Connor (Co. Louth), +3	86	75	164
T. Cahill (Waterford), +3	77	85	165
W. Monahan (Foxrock), scr.	83	82	165
W. Holley (Castle), +6	81	79	166
J. Barrett (Carrickmines), +3	84	80	167
J. Gaffney (Lucan), +4	79	84	167
D. Mahony (Skerries), +2	83	83	167
W. Nolan (Howth), +3	81	83	167
J. Bailey (Portmarnock), +1	87	80	168
J. O'Neill (unattached), +4	80	85	169
John Doran (Milltown), scr.	89	81	170
T. Shannon (Portmarnock), scr.	84	87	171
T. Travers (Dun Laoghaire), scr.	89	85	174
J. Martin (Milltown), +6	88	82	176
M. Sheridan, scr.	97	87	184
J. Sullivan (Bray), +5	86	96	187
J. Onion (Clontarf), scr.	84	—	—
J. Boran, scr.	97	—	—

Fred. Smyth (Royal Dublin) scratched.

CILLDARA.—November 9—"Ladies'" Cup, 18 holes, stroke. Draws 1.30 p.m. and 2 p.m., club-house.

HERMITAGE.—To-day, Wednesday cup.

CASTLE.—The monthly medal will be played for on Saturday next, the 8th inst. First nine holes strokes.

DEATH OF MR. PATRICK FIELD.

The death of Mr. Patrick Field, which occurred on Monday at his residence, Shanganagh Park, Shankill, Co. Dublin, after a short illness, removes a well-known figure in Irish racing circles. Mr. Field, who had reached his seventy-sixth year, maintained a small stud at Shanganagh Park, where he placed the stallion Saxham at the service of breeders, and when that son of Desmond died a few years ago, he purchased the well-bred Soniouque to fill his place. Mr. Field was the father-in-law of Mr. Harry Beasley, the famous steeplechaser rider, and grandfather of the jockeys, H. H. and W. W. Beasley. The funeral takes place from St. Columba's Church, Ballybrack, this morning at 9.30 to Glasnevin Cemetery.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

CITY AND SUBURBAN HARRIERS.—Run this evening from Croydon Park House, Fairview. All members meet at Fairview avenue at 8 o'clock sharp.

RUGBY.

ULSTER v. ALL BLACKS.

TO-DAY'S MATCH.

The New Zealanders play the second and last match of their short Irish tour to-day at the new Ravenhill ground, Belfast, where they meet Ulster. The Colonials, realising that they have a stiff match before them, have selected a strong XV. for the game, which only differs in two respects from the side which opposed Ireland. Steele replaces Hart at wing three-quarter, and Mill comes on at scrum half, vice Dalley. Ulster originally selected eleven of the players who represented Ireland, but two changes have to be made on the side. F. S. Hewitt, not having recovered from the injuries received in Saturday's match, has cried off, and his place goes to W. H. Hall (Instonians), while T. A. McClelland, owing to professional duties, also is unable to play. H. McVicker, a third brother of the internationals, J. M. and R., was selected to fill the place, but owing to illness he is unable to turn out, and this brings on G. Caruth (Queen's University). It is expected that a large number of Rugby enthusiasts in Dublin will travel up for the match, and the Great Northern Railway Company are offering special reduced fares by the 9.15 and 11.30 trains from Amiens street this morning, the tickets being available for return by train leaving Belfast at 7 o'clock this evening. The Duke of Abercorn, Governor-General of Northern Ireland; Sir James Craig, Prime Minister, and Lord Londonderry have signified their intention of being present at the match, which starts at 2.45. Teams:—

ULSTER.
Full-back.
W. E. Crawford (Malone).
Three-quarters.
H. W. Stephenson (United Services), G. V. Stephenson (Queen's University), J. B. Gardiner (North), T. Hewitt (Queen's University, Belfast).
Half-backs.
Scrum, J. C. McDowell (Instonians); outside, W. H. Hall (Instonians).
Forwards.
J. N. Brand (North), W. F. Brown (North and United Services), J. Campbell (Instonians), H. Copeland (Instonians), J. McDowell (Instonians), J. McVicker (Collegians), J. T. Smyth (Knock), G. Caruth (Queen's University).

NEW ZEALAND.
Full-back.
G. Nepia (Hawkes Bay).
Three-quarters.
Right wing, K. Svenson (Wellington); centre, F. W. Lucas; left wing, J. Steele (West Coast).
Five-eighths.
Outside, A. Cooke (Auckland); inside, M. Nicholls (Wellington).
Scrum Half.
J. Mill (Hawkes Bay).
Rover.
J. Parker (Canterbury).
Forwards.
Front row, Q. Donald (Wairarapa), W. Irvine (Hawkes Bay).
Lock, R. R. Masters (Canterbury).
Side Supports, M. J. Brownlie (Hawkes Bay), J. Richardson (Southland); back row, L. Cupples (Bay of Plenty), A. White (Southland).
Referee—Mr. J. H. Miles (Dublin).

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University 2nd—Radcliffe; Baker, Bingham, McIntosh, O'Donnell; Gillespie, Gaise-Brown; Barnett, Early, Harte, Murtagh, Speedy, Wells, Wilde, Williams.

Bective Rangers 2nd—P. J. Kennedy; S. Ballagh, J. Blunden, J. Fitzgearld, D. Pedlow; J. Arigho, R. Cleary; F. O'Rourke, C. Downs, P. McAllister, G. Higginbottom, J. Meath, G. O'Neill, T. Little, W. Walker.

Wanderers 2nd—C. N. Porter; H. L. Dixon, M. Mofsovits, Rev. Watson, T. O. Dunbar; E. R. May, C. Jacob; A. J. England, R. W. Hannigan, T. Hearn, G. Johnston, A. L. Murray, R. Poots, J. K. Reilly, W. B. Smith.

Clontarf Schoolboys—D. O'Dwyer; D. Greer, S. Richardson, G. Wheeler, A. Barrett; A. Sherlock, Nixon; B. Maguire, D. Muir, J. McCarron, R. M. Kilmurry, T. Walshe, J. Graham, W. Poole, M. J. Anderson.

Dublin University 3rd—Chance; Cherry, Carey, Studdert, Patrick; Odbert, Rice; Bains, Corbet, Harte, Keays, Lyburne, Milmo, Pratt, Studdert.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Ulster v. New Zealand, Ravenhill, Belfast, 2.45.
Bective Rangers 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd, Donnybrook, 3 o'clock.
Old Wesley 2nd v. Co. Meath, Donnybrook.
Wanderers 2nd v. University College 2nd, Lansdowne road, 3.30.
Clontarf Schoolboys v. St. Andrew's College (S.C.T.), Castle avenue.
Blackrock College (S.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (S.C.T.), Williamstown.
St. Columba's College (S.C.T.) v. Belvedere College (S.C.T.), Rathfarnham.
C.U.S. (S.C.T.) v. Wesley College (S.C.T.), Bath avenue.
Wesley College (J.C.T.) v. C.U.S. (J.C.T.), Bloomfield.

Wanderers 3rd v. University College 3rd.—This match, arranged for to-day, has been postponed.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE KILDARE.

November.		Hour.
Thursday, 6th	Dunlavin	11. 0
Saturday, 8th	Courtown Gate	11. 0

THE WARD UNION.

Saturday, 8th	The Ward	1. 30

Watkins, 77 and 78 Dame street, Dublin, HUNTING BOOTS, LEGGINGS SPECIALIST.—(Advt.)

ASSOCIATION.

THE I.F.A. AND THE FREE STATE.

At a Council meeting of the Irish Football Association, held in Belfast last night, Captain Wilton presiding, the Secretary, in reply to Mr. Ferguson, stated that no letter had been received from the Football Association in reference to the dispute in Irish football.

After discussion, the Chairman said that the I.F.A. had nothing to hide, and that if there was any grievance in regard to the matter he would instruct the Secretary, if necessary, to send copies to every member of the reply which had been despatched to the English Association, and which had been published by that body.

Eventually, on the Chairman's ruling, the Secretary read the lengthy letter which a special committee had drafted in reply to the request of the English Association for the observations of the Council on a communication from the Free State Association.

The Chairman said that it would have been an act of the greatest discourtesy if the I.F.A. had published that letter before it had been considered by the English Association. So far no reply had been received, and he presumed that the English Association had written to the Free State Association, and would communicate with the I.F.A. when they received a reply. There seemed to be an atmosphere of suspicion in regard to everything that the Committee did, and he proposed that further negotiations should be carried on by the whole Council. He was not going to stay there and have insinuations made against the Committee. Several members of the Council assured the Chairman that no reflection was intended.

THE AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL.

W. Reid (Ards) will take the place of D. Gamble (Celtic) at right half in the Irish team against England at Belfast on Saturday. Gamble was injured in a match last Saturday.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN v. SMITH.

There was nothing sensational in the play yesterday afternoon in this match of 16,000 up at Burroughes' Hall, Piccadilly. Newman's best breaks were 122, 169 and 371 (unfinished), and Smith's 176, 133 and 162. Interval scores:—Newman, 10,001; Smith, 9,408.

In the evening Smith had breaks of 266, 147 and 366, and Newman 426, 113, 179 and 273. Closing scores:—Newman, 10,666; Smith, 10,223.

STEVENSON v. PEALL.

Stevenson was hopelessly beaten when play in this match at Leicester square, London, was arrested by time last night. He was 6,464 points behind, after conceding Peall 2,000 start. His only notable breaks during the day were 125 and 80 against Peall's 250, 80, 116, 190 and 198. Closing scores:—Peall (rec. 2,000), 11,333; Stevenson, 4,869.

HOCKEY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University (A) v. Shamrocks. College Park, 3.30 p.m.
Dublin University (C) v. Y.M.C.A. (C). Claremont road, 3.30 p.m.
Kingstown G.S. (A) v. Monkstown (A). Tivoli terrace, 3.15 p.m.
Railway Union A v. Pembroke Wanderers A. Park avenue, 3.30 p.m.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University A.—D. Vanston; G. N. Kelly, C. Somerville-Large; G. W. Rooke, W. L. Connell, J. P. Pigot; J. A. Leonard, T. G. Wilson, G. F. West, J. Malone, J. E. Keymes.

Shamrocks.—R. S. Darling; B. J. Daly, E. S. Phillips; J. Peat, S. H. Webb, N. Duke; H. H. Peterson, F. C. Peirce, L. Phillips, F. C. Cottemann, P. J. Gillespie.

Kingstown G.S.—F. Maxwell; J. C. Rutherford, A. C. L'Estrange; E. E. Felton, A. C. Cook, E. J. Devlin; H. V. Keegan, Geo. Titterington, E. Winder, Capt. A. Duncan, C. W. Cook.

Monkstown A.—H. Fenton; G. Dareus, Capt. Maunsell; F. Gray, E. Gray, W. Williams; B. Dormer, H. Garland, W. Morrison, another.

Railway Union—F. Defence; E. J. Long, J. Corscadden; J. Peatt, W. Chiddick, E. Gilleran; F. G. Saven, C. Sally, T. Spearman, K. Downey, J. Moore.

Pembroke Wanderers.—W. Leopold; E. E. Edgar, D. Moran; E. Johnson, C. J. Sandford, G. Clancy; J. Crawford, A. Hall, B. H. Shortt, H. M'Donagh, F. Willis.

MOTOR CYCLING.

THE RAMBLERS.

On Saturday, November 15, the Ramblers Club will run off both the Ellerker Cup Trial and the Annual Novices' Trial over the same course. The Ellerker Cup Trial is a closed event, but the Novices' Trial is open, and will be run under M.C.U.I. Rules. Silver cups, medals and certificates will be awarded in both events, whilst in the Ellerker Cup Trial there will be a special team prize awarded. The route chosen for the events will commence at Terenure, and includes Bohernabreena, Killakee, Glencullen, Annacrivy, Killernan, Dundrum (finish). The distance is about 53 miles. The start is at 2 p.m. sharp. Entries close midday Thursday, 13th inst. at 42 Grafton street.

COURSING.

SPLENDID SPORT AT DUNSHAUGHLIN.

Judge—Mr. M. F. Davis. Slipper—M. Horan.

TRIAL STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner, £23, second £11, two dogs £5 each.
Mr. T. Elliott's Honey Gift beat Mr. M. Byrne's Royal Lass.
Mr. J. J. Long's Lento beat Mr. J. B. Wade's Gaby Field.
Mr. Kinsella's Killowre Chief beat Mr. Wilson's Little Chum.
Mr. B. Donoghue's Cornfield beat Mr. B. Rooney's Merry Moocher.
Mr. W. Duffy's Jedderman beat Mr. P. Duffy's Felix.
Mr. C. Smith's Spencer Hill beat Mr. R. Craigie's Clondalkin.
Mr. Kinsella's Phil the Fluter beat Mr. J. Burton's Beaming Star.
Messrs. R. and T. M'Donald's Boyne Beauty beat Mr. O'Neill's Pallorover.

II.
Honey Gift beat Lento.
Cornfield beat Killowre Chief.
Jedderman beat Spencer Hill.
Phil the Fluter beat Boyne Beauty.

TARA STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner £21, second £9, two dogs £2 10/- each.
Mr. P. R. Considine's Clever Curate beat Mr. M. Bruton's Another Cheer.
Mr. Killane's Briar Sweet beat Mr. J. Shaw's Strathblane.
Mr. T. Clarke's Silent Hour beat Mr. P. O'Hart's May Lass.
Mr. J. Shaw's Shanachie Mor beat Mr. J. Gibney's Boyne Valley.
Mr. W. Mahon's Maerin beat Mr. J. Bruton's Beaming Beauty.
Mr. J. Kelly's Just a Half One beat Mr. W. Mahon's Meehawl.
Mr. J. Duffy's Irish Hill beat Mr. Fitzpatrick's Sunnyside Susan.
Mr. P. Clarke's Gypsup Lilla beat Mr. T. Harte's Hidden Spot.

II.
Clever Curate beat Briar Sweet.
Shanachie Mor beat Silent Hour.
Maerin beat Just a Half One.
Irish Hill beat Gypsup Lilla.

RATOATH STAKES (OPEN)—For 14 all-ages. Winner £23, second £9, two dogs £3 10/- each.
Mr. J. Ryan's Irish Ensign beat Mr. Finnegan's Golden Bee III.
Mrs. Ahearne's Another Dail beat Miss Smith's Service Kit.
Mr. Ryan's Pay Over Me beat Mr. Curry's Flex.
Miss Langan's Leggan Hall beat Mr. L. Mooney's Merry Whisper.
Mr. W. J. Quinn's Question beat Mr. J. Shaw's Jeff's Brother.
Mr. Kearns's Rhyme of the Road beat Mr. G. Rogers' Top Price.
Mr. T. Harte's Hidden Hero beat Mr. Newman's Lough Ennel Boy.

II.
Another Dail beat Irish Ensign.
Pay Over Me beat Leggan Hall.
Question beat Rhyme of the Road.
Hidden Hero, a bye.

THE HOPE JOHNSTONE CUP—For 16 all-ages (confined to members). Winner £15 and Cup, second £7, two dogs £2 each.
Mr. W. C. Cummins's Sunnyside Sam beat Mr. Kearney's Humming Bee II.
Mr. Clynes's Smiling Bess beat Mrs. R. Craigie's Dolly Rhu.
Mr. J. Rooney's Dean's Croft beat Mr. Collins's Hard Fact.
Mr. R. Duffy's Nazzie beat Mr. Pentony's Humming Bee.
Mr. Yates's Column Dodger beat Mr. Reilly's A Prize.
Mr. V. Roantree's Roy Ranger beat Mrs. Gogan's Off She Goes.
Mrs. Ahearne's Florrie's Chum beat Mr. J. S. Griffin's Irish Greetings.
Mr. J. Shaw's Strickland Glen beat Mr. J. Daly's Daly's Malt.

II.
Smiling Bess beat Sunnyside Sam.
Dean's Croft beat Nazzie.
Roy Ranger beat Column Dodger.
Florrie's Chum beat Strickland Glen.

It seemed as if, in electing to run off four stakes at their opening meeting of the season, which began yesterday at Grange, the Dunshaughlin Club were taking on a task that would tax the preserves to the utmost, if, indeed, it would not end in failure; but so well did Halltown and Lagore respond to the first call that seventeen courses were run off before the last gave out. From that on things went with a swing, and game coming to hand quickly, we left off in good light with the programme for the day completed, forty-seven trials having been decided.

It was a splendid achievement in the open country, and what with the weather conditions perfect, the fields comfortably dry, and hares of the stoutest quality, the big company enjoyed what was the finest day's coursing we have had in this country for a great many years. As a matter of fact, it would not be possible for any Irish club to provide coursing of a better type. It was coursing at its best, and in not a solitary instance was there the semblance of a fluky victory. An interesting feature was the uniformity of the trials, nine-tenths of which were of fine length, and provided searching tests of real greyhound merit.

The puppies stood the test right well, and several smart performances were registered. In the Trial Stakes Cornfield put up two great displays, and a victory for this locally-owned youngster would not cause much surprise to those capable of judging the merits of a greyhound; and should it happen, as is not unlikely, that he should go to slips for the decider with his litter brother, Jedderman, the spin would be one of the most interesting of the meeting, for Mr. William Duffy's puppy also ran like a nailing good young greyhound. Indeed, the other survivors—Honey Gift and Phil the Fluter—ran their courses faultlessly.

In the Tara Stakes, also for puppies, nothing ran as smartly as Shanachie Mor, one of the closest workers we have seen out for a long time, and in Maerin Mr. Mahon might have another Mutt's Brother, so well did he perform; while Clever Curate and Irish Hill made no mistakes either. Top Price went disappointingly in the Ratoath Stakes, in which Another Dail and Question acquitted themselves creditably, and here there is the likelihood of a rare set-to in the decider between the Celbridge greyhound and Question.

CO. CARLOW MEETING—TO-DAY.

Judge—Mr. P. J. Murphy. Slipper—P. J. M'Sweeney.

THE FENAGH STAKES—For 12 puppies. Winner, £20; second, £7 10/-; third, £2 10/-.
Mr. J. Gorry's Gyps Field agst. Mr. J. Doyle's Charley's Mount.
Mrs. N. W. Thackaberry's Seven and Sixpence agst. Mr. E. Donohoe's Black John.
Mr. T. Godkin's Gorey's Wonder agst. Mr. J. Smith's Tullow Lad.
Mr. J. Ryan's Tullowbeg agst. Mr. W. Cummins's Ballyneill.
Mr. H. W. Kelly's Sleaty Boy agst. Mr. J. Melrose's Dolly's Cheer.
Mr. T. Moore's Watch on Rhine agst. Mr. J. Fleming's Donna Louise.

THE BALLYDARTON STAKES—For 8 all-ages. Winner, £15; second, £5.
Mr. J. O'Connor's Hunter's Double agst. Mr. J. Hurkee's Gimlet.
Mr. M. O'Neill's Little Martin agst. Mr. M. Murphy's That's Him.
Mr. J. Rice's Rinnce Ard agst. Mr. W. Murphy's Graiguealug.
Mr. T. Wynne's Winning Hand agst. Mr. R. Dunne's Try She Could.

THE CLONBURN STAKE—For 14 two-course maidens. Winner, £16; second, £8; two dogs £2 each.
Mr. J. Moore's Magic Flight agst. Mr. J. Burke's Be Glorious.
Mr. J. Casey's Cool Customer agst. Mr. P. Whelan's Hillside Boy VII.
Mr. J. R. M'Dermott's Uncle Sambo agst. Mr. J. R. Keogh's The Sweep.
Mr. T. Duff's Donal Ruadh agst. Mr. P. Hamilton's Hamilla.
Mr. E. Vicker's Hottonia agst. Mr. L. J. Drea's Don't Omit.
Mr. D. Maloney's Mentholatum agst. Mr. J. Harte's How Quare.
Mr. E. Vicker's Dark Rosaleen XV. agst. Mr. F. Mooney's Kishogue.

MEMBERS' STAKE—For 14 two-course maidens. Winner, £13; second, £6; two dogs, £1 10/- each.
Mr. T. Fenelon's Fill 'Em Again agst. Mr. W. Murphy's Drishogue Boy.
Mr. J. J. Doyle's Damon agst. Mr. C. O'Toole's Rathdangan Lad.
Mr. D. J. Kelly's Knockdrum agst. Mr. E. J. Drea's Dail Eireann Again.
Mr. J. Rice's Rinnce Beag agst. Mr. J. Ryan's Golden Label.
Mr. P. Flynn's Saltee Fairy agst. Mr. P. Waddock's What a Fairy.
Mr. P. Hogan's Rathnageera Maid agst. Mr. M. J. Kelly's Golden Vale.
Mr. E. J. Drea's Delightful Lass agst. Mr. P. Fenelon's Fine Fun.

First brace in slips at 12 o'clock.

ENNISKILLEN MEETING—TO-DAY.

Judge—Mr. M. Walsh. Slipper—W. O'Donoghue.

KILLYHEVLIN STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner, £22; second, £10; two dogs, £3 each.
Mr. J. P. Browne's Broken Bottle agst. Mr. W. T. Hogg's Spotted Red.
Mr. J. Cawden's Clause 12 agst. Mr. A. M'Coy's Merry Master.
Mr. T. Timmins' The Trawler agst. Mr. J. A. Devers' Deputy Speaker.
Mr. J. Garvin's Gargoyle agst. Mr. C. Sullivan's Strange Tune.
Mr. W. P. O'Brien's Cahore agst. Mr. J. Shiels' Ballywindland.
Mr. T. Timmins' True Time agst. Mr. W. Wilson's Erne's Wonder.
Mr. J. Dowd's Gallow Glass agst. Mr. D. Henderson's Hammer Light.
Mr. J. Shiels' Teelera agst. Mr. J. T. M'Cracken's Dew of Honey.

LOCAL STAKES—For 8 puppies. Winner, £12; second, £6.
Mr. J. E. Connolly's Erna Rocket agst. Mr. J. Griffith's Pretty Boy.
Messrs. W. and T. Darling's Dusseldorf agst. Mr. W. R. Morton's Na Yeu See.
Mr. T. Dick's Lady Carpenter agst. Mr. T. J. Murphy's Drumbroghas Lass.
Mr. J. Elliott's La Breona agst. Mr. G. M'Cormick's Missing Honey.

ENNISKILLEN STAKES, to which is added a silver challenge cup, presented by the late Right Hon. the Earl of Enniskillen, K.P.—For 12 all-ages. Winner, £20 and cup; second, £10; third, £3.
Mr. P. Carson's Hurrah agst. Mr. L. Nash's Major Dick.
Mr. C. Sullivan's Strange Times agst. Mr. J. A. Devers' Regular Beauty.
Mr. J. Brady's Broken Dick agst. Mr. P. M'Girr's Morley Rebel.
Mr. W. Scholes' Victualler's Comrade agst. Mr. J. Shiels' Millview II.
Mr. W. Scholes' Irish Boy agst. Mr. Carey's Herneman.
Mr. J. Shiels' Miltown agst. Mr. J. E. Connolly's You'd be Surprised.

BELLEVUE STAKES—For 11 all-ages. Winner, £12; second, £5; third dog, £2.
Mr. T. F. Campbell's Cathal MacGarvey agst. Mr. F. Lunny's Fly the Border.
Mr. W. Quinton's Quick Victory agst. Mr. T. Mills' Doocarnick Lad.
Mr. W. Wilson's Lisnaskey Turn agst. Mr. F. Marshall's Moorland Honey.
Mr. T. Crawford's Dainty Dixie agst. Mr. J. M'Caughran's Fierce Passage.
Mr. T. Chambers' Cosy Carrothers agst. Mr. J. Shiels' Ballyheskee.
Mr. J. Griffith's Hasty Temper, a bye.

CELBRIDGE MEETING.

The Celbridge Coursing Meeting, fixed for 10th November, has been postponed.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Fair to good supply of pigs, trade about steady. Sizeable bacons 17/-, but inclined to be quiet; cutters 15/6 to 17/-, medium enquiry; and sows 10/6 to 11/-, but generally the latter figure—quotations per score dead weight.

LEEDS, Tuesday.—Small show of cattle and sheep, owing to foot-and-mouth disease. Cattle, 144 at 8d. to 11d.; Sheep, 549 at 10½ to 1/3½, ewes 10d. to 11d., lambs 1/7; no pigs.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Owing to renewed outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease, business to-day was more or less disorganised, only 11 beasts and 94 sheep and lambs offering. Business is naturally disorganised, but as stock, including Irish, which arrives either at Mode Wheel, Manchester, or Holyhead can be taken direct to the city abattoirs and slaughtered under licence. These beasts cannot be exposed, however, at any public auction mart.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—Very poor attendance and business of a very dull nature. Samples are showing very little improvement in quality, only choice lots changing hands. Prices in or around the following:—White oats 17/- to 18/6, choice 20/-; blacks 15/- to 17/6, choice 18/-; wheat 34/- to 38/-, pot samples made 39/-; barley 27/- to 30/-, and feeding 19/- to 24/-.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES—BALTIC, Monday.—WHEAT—Cargo market ruled quiet, while influenced by holidays in America, but prices steady in absence of selling pressure. No. 1 Northern Manitoba November sellers 63/6, No. 2 hard winter November 62/-, December 58/6, white Pacific October 61/6, choice white Karachi November-December 61/3, Rosafe (63½lbs.) January-February 61/-. Parcels steady; No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November sold 61/3, December-January 62/6 to 62/9, No. 2 hard winter November quoted 56/6, Australian December-January 62/-, choice white Karachi November-December 61/-, Rosafe (63½lbs.) January-February 61/-, per 480lbs. MAIZE quiet, and tendency easier. Plate steamer, 6,500 tons, December-January changed hands at 46/10½, steamers afloat sellers 44/3, October-November 44/9, November-December 45/3. Parcels opened easier, but steadier since, with sales of Plate November-December at 44/-, and December-January 46/- to 46/6 per 480lbs. BARLEY was dull. Cargoes of Danube-Russ arrived sellers 40/3, and Morocco due 39/6, Parcels of Karachi November-December 44/-, Morocco 39/6 per 400lbs. OATS quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 28/6, November 28/-, and January-February 25/9 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—The decline in America and Argentine had already been discounted here, and forward deliveries of WHEAT were the turn dearer at the outset, and afterwards gradually advanced on unfavourable weather reports from the Argentine, fluctuated slightly, but showed a considerable rise at the finish. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba October-November sold at 61/-, No. 2 November-December 58/3, No. 2 hard winter arrived 56/4½, afloat 56/3 to 56/6, November 56/9, December 57/3 to 57/4½, No. 1 Duluth November 56/10½ to 57/-, December 57/3 to 57/4½ per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate afloat sold at 44/3, November-December 45/3 to 45/6, December-January 46/6 to 46/9 per qr. Wheat on the spot was in moderate demand, but prices very irregular. Maize spot parcels met a better demand at higher prices. Yellow River Plate quoted 9/6½ to 9/7, white 10/2 to 10/3, and Russian 10/2 to 10/4 per cental. FLOUR reduced 1/-; official price of straight run 48/- per 280lbs. ex mill. Wheat futures closed firm at 3d. to 3½d. per cental advance. Maize options closed firm and ¾d. to 1¼d. per cental dearer.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—IRISH and DANISH BACON supplies continue in excess of requirements, and prices are further reduced to 112/- to 118/- and 116/- to 120/- per cwt. respectively. Canadian Wiltshires quiet at late rates. American selections of bacon here again tend downwards with holders anxious to make progress and a disappointing demand, bellies being reduced to 102/- to 109/-, light Cumberlands 104/- to 108/-, and heavy weights 105/- to 109/-, while Wiltshires are now on sale at 103/- to 106/- per cwt. HAMS also quiet, but no further decline in prices reported. Shoulders still nominal in the absence of offerings. LARD on the spot, in sympathy with lower c.i.f. quotations, is 1/- to 2/- per cwt. lower, prime steam now 88/- to 89/-, American refined 87/6 to 89/6 per cwt. CHEESE quiet and 1/- lower at 95/- to 97/- per cwt. for both white and coloured Canadian. BUTTER still slow and tended downwards, Danish being reduced to 234/- to 238/-, New Zealand 222/- to 224/-, and Australian 202/- to 204/- per cwt. EGGS steady at 21/- to 23/- for Irish hen per 120.

REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—Overnight cables from Chicago were discouraging, and, with free sellers here during the early session, prices gave way 1/3 to 2/- per cwt. November sold at 86/6, December 84/3 to 84/-, January 81/9, 82/3, and 81/9, May 76/- to 75/9, and cash ex quay quoted 86/3 sellers. Values improved somewhat during the afternoon, closing 2/- lower on the day. November sold at 86/-, December 84/3, January 81/9 to 82/3, March 78/-, 78/3, and 78/-, May 76/6 to 76/9 per cwt. Weekly settlement prices—November 86/-, December 84/3, January 82/-, March 78/-, May 76/9 per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BUTTER—A quieter tone prevailed on the butter market at the lower prices now ruling. Danish quoted 234/- to 236/-, Swedish nominal, Finnish 230/-, Irish creameries 212/- to 215/-, Canadian 202/- to 206/- per cwt. BACON in quiet demand, but recent prices were about unaltered. LARD less active and easier; English refined 90/6, American 90/- per cwt. CHEESE in steady request and generally steady. EGGS in small supply and firm. Irish quoted 24/- to 25/6, cold store 18/6 to 18/9, Danish 25/6 to 27/9, Russian 16/- to 16/6, Egyptians 12/3 per 120.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—Only a dull demand for the rather fair supply of seasonable vegetables on this market at following prices:—York cabbage 30/- to 67/-, 74/- and 77/- per load; Savoy 25/- to 36/- per load; Swede turnips 2/6 to 3/- per cwt.; celery 2/6 to 5/6 per dozen bundles; sprouts 2/- to 3/- and 4/- per float; white turnips 3d. to 5d. and 8d. per bunch; leeks 8d. per bunch; cauliflowers 1/6 to 3/- per dozen; carrots 2/3 to 2/6 per bunch; beetroot 2/- to 2/3 per dozen, 6d. per bunch; parsley 1/- to 1/3 per float, 2/9 per bag; thyme 2d. to 4d. per bunch; kidney beans 5/- per float; tomatoes 6d. to 8d. and 1/- per lb. In the fruit section pears made 9/6 to 12/- per tray for selected quality; apples 2/- to 4/9 per half-bushel; blackberries 4d. per punnet. A very small arrival of foreign fruits, for which demand was poor at prices as last quotations—viz., apples, Kings 34/- to 38/- per barrel, Yorks 30/- to 36/-, others 30/- to 35/- per barrel, pippins 15/- to 18/- per box, Jonathans and Mackintoshs 15/- to 17/- per box; Jamaica oranges 25/- to 30/- per case, South African oranges 28/- to 34/- per case; black grapes 1/6 to 2/3 per lb., green 15/- to 24/- per barrel; lemons 20/- to 30/- per case; bananas 25/- to 32/- per crate; dates, O.K. 9½d., fair 35/- per case; American pears 40/- per case; grape fruit 36/- per case; pomegranates 18/- to 22/- per case; onions 14/- per case.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POTATO, Tuesday.—Demand is still very dull and slumpy for this article of food. Supplies on the rather limited side, but prices indicate an increase—viz., 9/- to 9/6 per cwt., and Victors 10/- per cwt.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POULTRY AND GAME (Halston street), Tuesday.—Market well supplied with all classes of seasonable poultry and game, and prices keen, viz.:—Best quality chickens, 1/- or 1/2 lb.; best hens 2/- to 2/6 each, others 1/- to 1/6; fatted ducks 2/6 to 3/- each, others 2/-; best quality fatted geese 1/- per lb., coarse or stubble (alive) 5/- to 6/- each; turkeys, alive 1/2 to 1/4 per lb., dead 1/4 to 1/6 lb, thin or crooked about 1/- lb. Game—Grouse, 2/6 each; partridge, 1/6; cock pheasants, 5/3 to 5/6; hen ditto, 4/6 to 5/- each; hares, 2/6 to 3/-. Wild fowl—Wild duck, 2/6 each; teal, 9d. to 1/- each; snipe, 8d. to 10d.; golden plover, 8d. to 9d. each; green, 6d. Rabbits, best quality, fresh, 1/3 to 1/4 apiece.

DUBLIN EGG AND BUTTER (Little Green), Tuesday.—The market for creams show a somewhat easier tone, best quality to-day rating at 1/11½ per lb.; 28lb. pyramids are scarce and rate at 1/11½ per lb.; good medium quality creams 1/11, and secondary grades 1/10 to 1/10½ per lb. An increase in supplies of farmers' butter, but demand very dull at 1/3 to 1/7 per lb.; the latter figure only applies to finest separators. Factory butter is also a slow trade at 1/5 to 1/7 per lb. The price of eggs remains as previously quoted and supplies are not excessive, but a quiet trade must be reported all round. Best fresh case lots of hen eggs from reputable senders, 25/- to 27/6 per 120; extra selected lots requiring heavy picking, 29/- to 30/-; mediums, 21/-, and country smalls 17/6 to 18/6 per 120. Cold storage eggs are arriving on market in excellent condition and are selling freely at 20/6 to 21/- per 120. Duck eggs, tested and repacked, fetch 24/- to 26/- per 120.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—The market remains quiet, with values steady. Creameries 212/- per cwt., choicest salted 212/-, farmers' fresh parcels 171/-.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE FISH, Tuesday.—The recent bad and stormy weather around our coast is principally responsible for the very limited arrival of fish on market—viz., 1 chest lobsters and a small quantity of fish from the usual local and country wind trawlers and hookers. An early sell-up was accomplished at following prices:—Large lobsters 15/- to 20/-, seconds 10/- to 12/6, smalls 2/6 to 5/- per lot of 13; large soles 30/- to 40/-, mediums 10/- to 12/6, and slips 5/- to 7/6 per 9 pairs; turbot 1/- to 12/- apiece, brill 6d. to 5/- apiece. Box fish—Plaice 18/- to 40/-, 50/- and 65/- per half-box; codfish 40/- to 50/- and 55/-, codling 20/- to 25/-, ray 10/- to 20/- per halfbox.

GRIMSBY FISH, Tuesday.—Light supply. Demand fair. Plaice 13/-, lemon soles 20/-, halibut 14/- to 18/-, cod 4/- to 6/6, skate 6/-, small haddocks 2/-, kit 5/6, gibbed 8/-, dabs 9/-, codlings 4/- to 5/-, whiting 3/6 per stone; soles 2/-, turbot and brill 11d. per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Tuesday.—Supply moderate. Demand fair. Soles 1/4 to 1/8, slips 1/2 to 1/6 per lb.; live eels 20/- to 32/-, dead 12/- to 25/- per draught; turbot 11/- to 15/-, brill 10/- to 13/-, plaice 10/- to 15/-, halibut 10/- to 18/-, lemon soles 11/- to 15/-, witches 6/- to 9/-, whiting 3/- to 4/-, hake 7/- to 9/-, cod 5/- to 7/-, skate 4/- to 6/-, haddocks 6/- to 7/- per stone.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT, Tuesday.—Generally firmer. Home killed beef—Best 8½d. to 9d., seconds 7½d. to 8d. Mutton—Best hoggs 1/1 to 1/2, lambs 1/2 to 1/3, ewes 9d. to 10½d.; calves 5d. to 10d. Chilled beef dearer; hindquarters 6½d. to 7½d., fore quarters 4½d. to 5d. Mutton—Ewes 7d. to 7½d., wethers 7½d. to 8d., lambs 9½d. to 1/0½.

LONDON POTATO, Tuesday.—Fair supplies except quiet demand, but prices steady. Quotations—Best King Edwards 10/- to 11/-, Kerr's Pink 8/- to 9/-; Blackland King Edwards 9/-, ditto Evergoods 8/- to 8/6 per cwt.; Dutch whites 5/6 to 6/6, Belgian whites 6/- to 7/-, ditto Edwards 7/6 to 8/- per bag.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—TEA—At public sales 11,100 packages Ceylon were offered, and encountered brisk competition at generally dearer prices. Pekoe sold 1/5½ to 2/4½, broken ditto 1/8½ to 3/4½, orange Pekoe 1/10½ to 2/6½, broken ditto 1/10 to 2/7, and Pekoe Souchong 1/8 to 1/9½ per lb. in bond. SUGAR—Spot market for refined unaltered, with a steady business proceeding in British makes at the lower level of prices recently established. Imported quiet; white Java spot 33/9, American gran. 35/9, Dutch ditto 35/-, Austrian crystals 35/3. Forward positions steady, with limited offerings from the Continent. Czecho gran. ready quoted 20/7½, Nov. 20/4½, Dec. also Jan.-March 20/1½ f.o.b. Hamburg; Belgian ready 20/- to 19/9, Nov.-Dec. 19/6 f.o.b. Antwerp; Dutch ready 21/3, Nov.-Dec. 20/3 f.o.b. Rotterdam. Raw kinds lack support; Peruvian afloat quoted 17/6, Polish beet 88 p.c. prompt shipment 17/-, Dec. 16/6 c.i.f. U.K. To India, the market remained quiet and prices easy, with offers of [illegible] Stettin. Cuban receipts for past week totalled 3,191 tons, against 7,322 tons at corresponding period last year. Exports totalled 24,366 tons, against 53,489 tons, and stock 145,428 tons, against 96,366 tons. Weather favourable. White terminal steadier, with fair sales, including Nov. at 18/4½, Dec. 19/- to 19/1½, March 18/9 to 18/10½, May 18/10½ to 19/- per cwt.

COFFEE—Spot market maintains a very firm tone, and a good demand for all home trade qualities. COCOA—Spot market quiet, at late rates. Accra f.f. quality Dec.-Feb. sold 40/-, and buyers [illegible]. RICE held for full rates, but trade generally quiet; two stars spot quoted 18/6, Oct.-Nov. 17/6, Jan.-Feb. 15/3; Spanish and Italian firm. Japanese cleaned spot sold 26/3, and Nov.-Dec. 26/3 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper tends firmer, with a good demand for forward positions; black Singapore L.S. Oct.-Nov. quoted 5¾d., Lampong Jan.-March 5 9-16d., white Muntok spot 11½d., Oct.-Dec. 10½d., Jan.-March 11½d. Zanzibar cloves, Oct.-Dec. 11½d. per lb. TAPIOCA quiet; Singapore flake to Havre Oct.-Dec. buyers 28/3, Pearl seed Dec.-Jan. 22/3 c.i.f. U.K. Sago flour firmer, and Oct.-Dec. quoted 17/4½. Desiccated coconut fine cut spot 43/3, Nov.-Dec. 41/9 per cwt. DRIED FRUIT—At public sales only 121 tons Valencia raisins were submitted, and met with a fairly good demand at about late rates. Common realised 44/- to 48/-, medium 50/- to 58/-, good 60/- to 72/-, fine 81/- to 88/-, seedless 37/- to 47/-. Muscatels sold slowly at easier rates, clusters common at 80/- to 105/-, medium 117/6 to 120/-, good to fine 132/6 to 145/-, loose 55/- to 65/- per cwt.

JUTE—Market displayed generally quiet features, but tone steady; firsts to Continent Sept.-Oct. quoted £42, Oct.-Nov., also Nov.-Dec., £41 15/-, lightnings Sept.-Oct. £40 5/-, Nov.-Dec. £40 per ton. Hessians quiet. HEMP—Manila continues dull of sale; J grade Oct.-Dec. sellers £55, K ditto £54, L £53, M £51 per ton. New Zealand, also African sisal, quiet, unaltered. SHELLAC quiet; T.N. spot quoted 330/- to 335/-, Dec. 307/6, March 300/- per cwt. COPRA moves off quietly, but prices steady in most instances; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam August-Oct. quoted £31 12/6, Oct.-Dec. £31 11/3, Nov.-Jan. £31 7/6, Dutch E.I. £31 7/6, Ceylon ditto £32 15/-, South Sea Islands £31 5/-. PALM KERNELS—To Liverpool Oct.-Dec. £23 7/6, and Nov.-Jan. £23 5/- per ton.

RUBBER quiet and easier; plantation standard crepe and sheet spot, also Nov., sold 1/5 to 1/5¼, Dec. 1/5¼ to 1/5, Jan.-March 1/5¼ to 1/5¼, April-June 1/5¾ to 1/6; fine hard Para spot sellers 1/5⅜ per lb. OILS—Linseed firmer; spot quoted 45/6, Nov.-Dec. sold 44/6, Jan.-April 44/4½ to 44/6. Rape firm; crude spot 52/6, refined 55/6. Cotton steady; crude Egyptian spot 47/-, Bombay ditto 44/6, refined common edible 52/-. China wood quiet; Hankow spot barrels 85/-, Nov.-Dec. 77/6. Coconut quiet; Ceylon spot pipes 49/9, forward 48/6. Turpentine steadier after a weak opening; American spot quoted 59/3, after 58/9 paid; Nov.-Dec. sellers 59/9, Jan.-April 60/9 per cwt. Rosin and petroleum unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed market firm, with rather more inquiry; Calcutta to London Oct.-Nov., also Nov.-Dec., sellers £24 5/-, Plate ditto to Hull sold £21 17/6 new crop, Jan.-Feb. £21 10/-. Rapeseed steady, quiet; Toria to Continent Nov.-Dec. sellers £24 17/6, Ferozepore ditto £24 2/6. Cottonseed quietly steady; Egyptian black Dec.-Jan. quoted £14 10/-, white ditto £13 15/-, Bombay Jan.-Feb. £11 10/-. Castorseed quiet; Bombay Nov.-Dec. quoted £28 10/-. Gingelly seed firm; Chinese to Continent Nov.-Dec. quoted £30 2/6, Jan.-Feb. £29 5/-. Groundnut seed firmly held, especially for near positions; Coromandel machine, Oct.-Nov. £29 10/-, Chinese f.a.q., Dec.-Jan. £25 7/6 per ton.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, Tuesday.—A fair supply of farm produce was on offer at to-day's market. Potatoes—Great Scotts 7/- to 7/10, Kerr's Pinks 7/9 per cwt. Cauliflowers 4/-, celery 3/- to 3/6, leeks 1/-, mint 1/6 per dozen; turnips 3/-, carrots 4/- per cwt.; Savoys 2/3 per dozen; hay 4/3, oat straw 3/- per cwt.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—Demand still slow. Prices irregular.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW (Smithfield), Tuesday.—Although the market was fairly well stocked with hay, there was only a small proportion of what might be termed choice loads, and these latter were readily cashed at an early hour of business. Damp and discoloured stuff very difficult to negotiate. Prices may be written as follows:—First crop hay 7/- to 7/6, second and third crop 6/3 to 6/9 per cwt., old meadow 5/- to 6/-, choice qualities a little more money, inferior 3/- to 4/- per cwt.; second cutting clover 3/6 to 6/- per cwt. A satisfactory clearance was effected of all the straw offering on the market to-day at 4/- to 4/6 for oaten and 4/- to 4/6 and 5/- for wheaten.

BALLYBAY MARKET.—Eggs, 2/3 per dozen; butter, 1/6 to 1/8 per lb. Fowl—Chickens, 2/- to 2/6 each; old hens, 1/- to 1/6 each; ducks, 2/- each. Potatoes, 1/- per stone; grass seed, 20/- to 24/- per cwt.; dropped calves, 25/- to 30/- each.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American continues quiet. Brazilian quotations raised 11 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian continues quiet. November 13.07d., December 13.02d., January 13.05d., February 13.04d., March 13.10d., April 13.09d. Sales, 5,000. Imports, 3,669 bales. Market quiet, steady.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Tuesday.—Business in cloth is irregular, plenty of inquiry being experienced, but buyers' limits slow to reach workable level. Dhooties and light bleaching styles attract some attention from India. Printers in quieter trade. Effective China demand slow, but various secondary markets contribute some useful lines. Yarns strong in both American and Egyptian spinnings, without striking response. Export bundles slow.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN WEAK.

The market for TIN displayed irregularity and weakness on selling pressure, and only a moderate business resulted. On balance cash 62/6, and forward 37/6 per ton lower, compared with the previous close. Standard cash quoted £256 2/6 to £256 7/6, three months £258 2/6 to £258 7/6; settlement price £256 5/-. Sales, 800 tons, comprising cash at £257 15/- to £258 10/-, finally £256 5/-; three months £259 to £260 15/- and £258 5/-. COPPER steady, at late rates, with a good business passing. Standard cash quoted £63 17/6 to £64, three months £65 to £65 2/6, settlement price £64. Sales 1,750 tons, including cash at £64 1/3 to £64, and again at £64 1/3, three months £65 to £65 3/9, and £65 1/3. Electros quoted £68 5/- to £68 10/-, B.S. £67 5/- to £68 10/-, S.S. £94, wire bars £68 10/-. LEAD firmer, with dealings on a moderate scale. 300 tons sold; good soft foreign pig November £38 7/6, January £37, February £36 10/-, settlement price £38 12/6. English quoted £39 15/-. SPELTER steady. 325 tons sold; November at £34 8/9 to £34 7/6, and again at £34 8/9. TIN PLATES, also QUICKSILVER, unaltered.

IRISH FAIRS.

MONAGHAN.—There was a big supply of stock cattle in the above fair which was well attended by buyers. There was a good demand all round and cattle in good condition effected good prices. For milch cattle and springers high prices were paid. Prime young springers sold from £27 10/- to £32 10/-; second class, from £20 to £25; milch cows (down calved), first class, £26 to £30; second class, £17 10/- to £22; three-year-old heifers and bullocks averaged about £22 10/-; two-year-olds, £16 to £18; six-quarters, £12 to £14; yearlings, from £8 10/- to £10. This was the annual hiring fair and wages paid to servants showed a slight reduction.

ATHLETICS.

THE IRISH QUARTER-MILE RECORD.

At a meeting of the Belfast County Board of the N.A. and C.A. last night in Belfast a letter was read from a relative of J. B. Burgess, asking whether the Board would accept his record for the quarter-mile of 50 seconds, made at a recent Celtic Park meeting. The meeting agreed to allow the Celtic directors to have the ground surveyed, and if everything is in order as regards distance to recommend that the record should be accepted.

FLANDERS POPPIES.

ARMISTICE DAY ANNIVERSARY.

Two hundred seriously disabled ex-Servicemen are feverishly making poppies in the Old Kent road, London, workshops for sale on November 11. The poppies are made of lawn, silk, or paper, and some twenty millions will be on sale in the streets of Great Britain and Ireland next Tuesday week. Many thousands have been made specially for decorating the big hotels and restaurants in London.

Captain Willcox, Organising Secretary of Earl Haig's British Legion Appeal, has stated that it is amazing to see how skilful the ex-Serviceman, even if he was formerly a coal-heaver, may become at the delicate work of making the poppies.

Last year the sale of poppies resulted in a contribution of over a quarter of a million pounds to the funds for the relief of distress among ex-Servicemen.

CHARGE OF SHOOTING A WOMAN.

Robert John Blakely was charged at Clones District Court, before Mr. M. J. Hannon, with having, on September 3rd, fired at Mrs. Ida Swan, of Crosslea House, Drum, County Monaghan, with intent to kill.

Mrs. Swan stated that accused resided with her for a time as a friend, and afterwards did some work for her. On the evening of September 3rd he had driven her out to see a friend who was ill. Soon after she returned home defendant came into the dining-room with a gun under his arm. She could not remember what he said; but the gun went off, and she was wounded in the foot.

Dr. W. W. Moore, who attended Mrs. Swan, stated that he found her suffering from a gunshot wound in the right ankle. Her right foot had to be amputated.

Defendant was returned for trial.

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SELECTIONS FOR LIVERPOOL MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.15 RACE.	1.45 RACE.	2.15 RACE.	2.45 RACE.	3.15 RACE.	3.45 RACE.
Irish Times	Alcazar.	Wootton's selected.	Americus Boy.	Miss Megan.	Civic Guard.	St. Germans.
Sportsman	Alcazar.	Roman Fiddle.	Glantrague.	Miss Megan, each way.	Pilum.*	St. Germans.
Man on the Spot	Bright's Boy.	Darragh.*	King of Clubs.	Flying Spear colt.	Sebastian.	St. Germans.
Westminster Gazette	Alcazar.	Quilp.	King of Clubs.	Brighter London.	Civic Guard.	St. Germans.
Daily News	Bright's Boy.	Roman Fiddle.	King of Clubs.*	Brighter London.	Pilum.	St. Germans.
Daily Express	Poole's selected.	Drive On; if ab., Sale Ticket.	King of Clubs.*	Silver Idol.	Civic Guard; if ab., Arcade.	St. Germans.
Daily Mirror	Alcazar.	Roman Fiddle.	King of Clubs.	Little Mark.	Pilum.	St. Germans.
Daily Graphic	Bright's Boy.	Montfort.*	Glitter Gold.	Flying Spear colt.	Arcade.	St. Germans.
Star	Bright's Boy.	Roman Fiddle.	Zoomp.*	Brighter London.	Arcade.	St. Germans.
Evening News	Bright's Boy.	Florid.	King of Clubs.*	Flying Spear colt.*	Pilum.	St. Germans.
Evening Standard	Alcazar.	Indian Gauze.	Glitter Gauze.	Silver Idol.	Spithead.	St. Germans.
Daily Mail	Bright's Boy.	Roman Fiddle.	King of Clubs.	Flying Spear colt.	Pilum.	St. Germans.
Times	Bright's Boy.	Roman Fiddle.	King of Clubs.	Miss Megan.	Taylor's selected.	St. Germans.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

WAR FIVES BETTER. RAILS FIRMER, BUT IRREGULAR. DUNLOP RUBBERS BUSY AND HIGHER. PARENT DEFERRED SCARCE. SPINNERS GOOD. COATS WEAKER.

Business quietened down somewhat on 'Change yesterday in most cases, despite the opportunity to deal for the "new" account the 20th inst., but there were quite a lot of interesting and, in some cases, important price movements. Government National Loan eased a shade, but British Funds show fresh gains. Banks were quiet, and, in a few directions, dull. Guinness Ord. show no change for cash, but for new account the initial price showed an apparent rise of ¼ to 49¼, sellers, and later were on offer at 49¼. Castlebellingham Brewery Debentures improved several points, but Dublin Distillers Pref. were on sale at a concession without support coming forward. Marconi Ord. shares improved again. Dublin United Tram Pref. were harder. Alliance Gas fully recovered from the previous day's decline on sale of an odd lot. Some excitement existed in Dunlop Rubber Ord. shares, which were carried up to 11s. 4½d. at one time, but closed under best. Parent Tyre Deferred shares were good in tone and price. A large payment on account of arrears should be distributed shortly estimated to amount to perhaps 10s. a share, besides all arrears on Pref. and Ord. shares. Johnston Bakery shares were held for 60s., or 5s. advance on last marking. Drapery shares were idle generally. Fine Spinners were strong at one time, but Coats slipped back and closed weak. Calicos were again absorbed, and Courtaulds touched 60s. Imperial Tobaccos were busy and again higher. J. G. Mooney and Co. issues were scarce, and looked buyers at enhanced prices. E. and J. Burke Debs. recovered for a limited transaction.

Government National Loan fell 1/16 to 92⅞ and ditto by Deed ⅛ to 92¼, while Compensation 5 p.c. repeated 91¼.

British Funds were busy at the earlier market. Consols rose 1/16 to 58 1/16, and 2½ p.c. Annuities quoted 56½. War Loan 5 p.c. advanced 1/16 to 101 1/16, Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅛ to 79⅞, and Local Loans 3 p.c. ⅛ to 67⅛. An odd lot of Funding Loan "Deed" stock realised 90⅞ and Irish Land 3 p.c. repeated 66⅞.

Banks closed quiet. Bank of Ireland stock fell ¼ to 273 and Hibernians ⅛ to 7 1/16, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 6⅛ and Nationals 20¼.

Among Breweries and Distilleries, Castlebellingham and Drogheda 4½ p.c. Debs. rose 2⅞ to 58. John Jameson and Son Debs. repeated 7 1/16 and Dublin Distillers Ord. 29s., but the Pref. were on sale at 75s., or 2s. under last price, but not more than 70s. was bid unofficially. Guinness Ord. opened 49½ for new account, and then fell to 49¼, while the cash price was unchanged at 49.

Grand Canal Pref. Shares repeated 70s.

In Telegraphs, Marconi Ord. rose 1s. 3d. to 37s. 6d.

As regards Home Rails, Dublin and South-Eastern rose 2 to 17, but the Pref. fell 2½ to 43 for a broken lot. Great Northern repeated 56, but the Pref. closed firm but nominal at 57½-58, while the Debs. rose 2½ to 69. Great Southern Ord. rallied ¼ to 40¼, and the Debs. rose ½ to 68½, while the Guaranteed repeated 57½. Midland Great Western closed nominally ½ lower at 28 to 28½, but the 4½ p.c. Debs. rallied 1 to 66 for an odd lot, while the 4½ p.c. Debs. repeated 63, and the 4 p.c. Preference 49. Belfast and Co. Down Pref. were still ineffectually on offer under previous price, but no buyer declared.

In Baronial Guaranteed, Cavan and Leitrim fell 2s. to 41s., and Clogher Valley 1/16 to 5⅛.

Dublin United Tram Pref. rose ⅛ to 9 1/16.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. opened 4½d. higher at 10s.10½d., and then jumped to 11s. 4½d., with subsequent profit-taking at 11s. 3d.-11s. 1½d. Parent Tyre Deferred rose 1s. to 42s. 9d., while the Ord. were unofficially called 22s. 6d.-23s., and the Pref. 14s. 7½d.-15s.

Alliance Gas Shares recovered 1/16 to 6 1/16.

In Bakery Shares, Johnston Ord. did not offer under 60s., or 5s. over last price.

In Drapery Shares, an odd lot of Pim Bros. Ord. realised 51s. 6d., or 6d. under previous marking.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Calico Printers rose 1½d. to 38s. 4½d., and Spinners 1s. 4½d. to 57s. 3d.-57s. Coats were pressed back 9d. to 65s. 3d., 65s., 64s. 10½d., but Cotton Ord. repeated 60s. 3d. Courtaulds opened 60s., and closed 59s. 10½d., while the Pref. repeated 19s. Imperial Tobacco Shares rose 6d. to 85s. 3d., 85s. 4½d., 85s. 3d. for account, while the last price was 85s. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. again realised 20s. 10½d., and Hely's Pref. 18s. 6d.

Trading, etc., Shares were very quiet. Burke Debs. rose 1/16 to 8⅜, and J. G. Mooney and Co. Debs. 1½ to 66½, while Brooks Thomas Ord. repeated 25s., *Irish Times* 1st Pref. 65s. x.d., and Irish-American Oil Pref. 19s. 6d. Shell Transports fell 1½d. to 85s. 6d., but Swedish Match "B" improved to 9.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

National Ln...(92⅞) 92⅞	Do. 4½% Deb...(63) *63
Do. Deed.......(92⅛)92¼	Do. 4½% Deb...(65) *66
Compensation Stock (91¼) 91¼	Cavan No. 1...(43/-) 41/-
Consols ....(58⅞) 58 1/16	Clogher Valley..(5⅛) 5⅛
2½% Annuities 56½	Dublin Tram Pref......9 1/16
5% War Ln..(101) 101 1/16	Parent Def....(41/9) 42/9
Fund. Loan. (Deed).*90⅞	Dunlops ....(10/6) 10/10½ 11/4½ /3 /1½
Conver. Loan..(79⅛) 79⅞	Alliance Gas......(6⅛) 6 1/16
War Bonds 1927...106⅛	Johnston Mooney (55/-) 60/-a
Treas. Bds. '25.35..100⅛	Pim Ord.......(52/-) *51/6
3% Land ......(66⅞) 66⅞	Calicos .....(38/3) 38/4½
Local Loans 67⅛	Coats ...(65/7½) 65/3 5/- 4/10½
Bank of Ireland (273¼) 273c	Cottons ....(60/3) 60/3
Hibernian ......(7⅛) 7 1/16c	Courtaulds....60/- 59/10½
Mun. & Lein.....(6⅛) 6⅛	Do. Pref. 19/-
National ....(20¼) *20¼	Spinners.(55/7½) 57/3 7/-
Castlebellingham Brew. Deb...............(55⅛) 58	Hely's Pref....(18/6) 18/6
Dub. Distillers..(29/-) 29/-	Imp. Tob.(84/9) 85/3 5/-c /4½ /3
Do. Pref.....(77/6) 75/-a	Do. Canada 28/4½
Guinness....(49) 49¼ 9c ¼	Lever 7% (20/10½) *20/10½
Jameson Deb..(7⅛) *7 1/16	Brooks Thomas (25/-) 25/-
Canal Pref......(70/-) 70/-	Burke Deb.......(8 1/16) *8⅜
Marconi ....(36/3) 37/6	Mooney Deb.....(65) *66½
D.S.E. Ord............(15) 17	Irish-American Oil (19/6) *19/6
Do. Pref.......(45½) *43	*Irish Times* 5½% (65/-) 65/- x.d.
G.N. Ord...............(56) 56	Swedish Match B.........9
Do. Pref.(57) 57½b 58a	Mex. Eagle Ord...16/10½
Do. Deb.........(66½) 69	Shells ....(85/7½) 85/6
G.S.W. Ord........(40) 40¼	
Do. Guar......(57½) 57½	
Do. Deb.........(68) 68½	
M.G.W. Ord. (28½) 28b 28½a	
Do. 4% Pref....(49) *49	

* Odd lot, b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount .... 5 p.c. 5th July, 1923
Deposit .... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day......		Nov. 17
General contango day......		Nov. 18
Ticket day	Nov. 5	Nov. 19
Account day	Nov. 6	Nov. 20

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange was fairly active. In Government Stocks the 5 per cent. War Loan was dealt in at 101 and 101⅛, and Funding Loan at 90 3/16. In Bank shares Northern Bank "A" were dealt in at 5⅞, and "B" shares at 2⅛, Union Bank of Australia Letters at 3, and Fractions at 11s. 6d. Midland fully-paid brought 9 1/16. In Railway Stocks the market was quiet. Great Northern Ord. was done at 56, and London, Midland and Scottish Ord. at 105 1/16. In Industrials Belfast Ropeworks Ord. changed hands at 92, York street Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref. at 22s. 6d., J. and P. Coats at 66s., and J. and P. Coats "B" Pref. at 24s. British Cotton and Wool Dyers brought 9s. 3d. Bernard Hughes Pref. were done at 20s. 3d., White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. 25s. 1½d. A transaction in Burmah Oil at 5¼ on 3rd inst. was recorded. Business was also done in British-American Tobacco Ord. at 110s. 3d. and 110s., Imperial Tobacco Ord. at 85s. 9d. and 85s. 4½d., Dunlops at 11s., and Dunlop "C" Pref. at 23s. 1½d.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors busier and still rising. B.T.D. in request. Rolls Royce active. Singers, Humbers, Standards higher. Parents improving. Dunlops an active market. Austins, 6/6; Deb., 87; Bluemels, 36/-; Components, 4/-; B.T.D., 5/-; Enfields, 26/-; Humbers, 26/10½; Napiers, 24/-; do. Pref., 19/1½; Rolls, 27/1½; Rovers, 12/4½; Singers, 34/7½; Standards, 45/6; Swifts, 7/-; Triumphs, 30/-; Vauxhalls, 6/9; Dunlops, 11/-; Parent Def., 42/6.

MANCHESTER.—Big business in textiles at further substantial advances. Bleachers, 63/6-64/-; do. Pref., 21/6-22/-; Calicos, 38/-38/6; do. Pref., 18/3-18/6; Dyers, 84/6-85/-; do. Pref. 19/-20/-; Cottons, 60/-60/6; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; Spinners, 56/6-57/-; do. Pref., 19/9-20/-; "Slubbers," 9/0-9/3; Coats, 64/-65/-; Ship Canal, 8¼-8½; do. Pref., 8½-8¾; Volvets, 30/3-30/9.

IRISH TRAFFICS.

	Last Week. £	Total. 44 Weeks. £
Gt. Southern...	59,994–2,798	2,458,369+180,309
Gt. Northern...	39,350–8,750	1,749,800–113,550
Midland G.W.	28,979+3,691	1,061,963–23,318
Dublin S.E. ...	9,052–1,550	433,009– 4,019
Cork - Bandon	3,274– 133	141,860+ 45,157
Cork - Macroom	641– 66	28,464+ 16,103
Co. Down	4,694 –	269,028– 30,472

LONDON STOCKS ACTIVE.

LARGER BUSINESS.

The London Stock markets were again strong yesterday, while business was on a better scale than the previous day, most sections being favoured. As a result, an extensive list of advances was shown, the close being strong despite some profit-taking during the early part of the day. A French International loan which has been talked of for some time past will, it is announced, be issued in ten-year bonds at par, to bear interest at 5 p.c., and be redeemable at a premium of 50 p.c. by periodical drawings after five years. The subscription lists will be opened in France on the 12th inst., and may remain open till December 19th. No limit is fixed to the amount of the loan. A slightly better tone was manifest in the Gilt-edged market. Closing prices were, however, generally repeated at the overnight levels. Indias were a good spot, and at the finish an all-round increase was marked. Among Scrips, South African 5 p.c. closed at 11/16 prem., while German 7 p.c. (£30 paid), after being as high as 35⅛, closed ¼ below that figure. Queensland 5 p.c. (£17½ paid) finished at 21¼. Breweries were better where changed. Watney Coombe Defd. spurted to 272½, or a rise of 7 points on the day. Allsopp £1 shares put on ⅛ to ⅞, while the 5 p.c. Pref. at 91½ were 1½ points to the good. Bass, Ratcliff Ord. closed 1/16 higher. Guinness Ord. and Pref. were both without alteration. Miscellaneous were firm, and final quotations were higher. Dunlops put on 6d. to 11s.; Brunner Mond were also slightly better on the day.

FOREIGN BONDS BETTER.

French Loans further reacted. The Fives at 22 were ¼ lower on the day, but the Fours maintained their previous level. Brazil 4 p.c. (1889) put on a point to 44, while the Funding 1914 at 72 x.d. were also a point higher. Chinese were unchanged, while Japanese were also without alteration. Among Peruvians, the Debs. at 97 were a point better, while the Ord. at 3⅞ and the Pref. at 34¼ were both unaltered. Portuguese 3 p.c. gained ¼ to 27, while San Paulo at 105¼ were a point better.

BRITISH RAILS STEADY.

Midland 4 p.c. Pref. at 82 and the 4 p.c. Pref. (1923) also at 82 were both a point higher. The Ord., on the other hand, dropped a point to 104. North-Eastern Pref. Ord. and Defd. Ord. were unchanged, but the 4 p.c. 1st Pref. at 82 and the 4 p.c. 2nd Pref. at 81 were both a point better. Among Metropolitans, the 5 p.c. Pref. put on a point to 99¼, while Southern Pref. Ord. closed ½ better at 83¼. Underground Ord. gained ⅛ to 3, while the Income Bonds and the 6 p.c. Debs. were without change.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS QUIET.

Prices where altered were higher. Argentine Great Western Ord. gained ½ to 84, while Central Uruguay further improved to 64½ x.d., a rise of ½ on the day. Entre Rios Ord. at 26½ were ½ better. Among Grand Trunks, Pacific 4 p.c. Perp. Deb. were a point higher at 83. Mexicans were without alteration on the day.

OIL SHARES FIRM.

Business in Oil shares was on quite a good scale yesterday, interest showing distinct signs of broadening, particularly in the afternoon, when a general advance in quotations took place, the market closing with an all-round firm appearance. Shells were particularly prominent among the leading counters, for although they moved within comparatively narrow limits during the early hours, a keen demand arose later, to which the price was not slow to respond, an appreciable gain being finally recorded. Anglo-Persians continued to receive attention, although they were finally unaltered. The Anglo-Persian Oil Company announce a dividend of 10 p.c. less tax for the year ended March last, and carry forward, subject to excess profits duty and corporation tax, the sum of £1,746,643. For the preceding twelve months the dividend was at the same rate, and the amount carried forward £1,777,786. Burmahs were again in demand and further advanced, and Anglo-Americans also improved. A recovery was recorded in the Mexican Eagle issues. The arrangement of the carry-over was effected quite easily. market at an advance. Anglo-Ecuadorians strengthened. Anglo-Egyptian "B" maintained the improvement of the preceding day, the firmness of these shares being attributable to the fact that for several weeks past the company's production has been well above the 3,000 tons mark.

RUBBERS FIRM.

A heavy business was transacted in the Rubber Share market yesterday, and final quotations were in most cases pushed higher. A long list of alterations was marked, and while the majority of them were in favour of holders a few issues were distinctly lower on the day's dealings. Batu Tiga were a good spot, and at the close showed a rise of 1s. 3d. to 38s. 9d. General Ceylon at 38s. 3d., and Labu at 32s. 6d., were also 1s. 3d. to the good. Lanadron at 23s. 9d., Manchester N.B. at 25s., Pegoh at 38s. 9d., and Sialang at 37s. 3d., were each 1s. 3d. better. B.N.B.R. Trust rose 1s. to 12s. 6d., while Ledbury at 30s. 7½d., and Linggi at 39s. 4½d., were both 7½d. higher. Malacca rose 11¼d. to 40s. North Hummock at 20s. showed a rise of 10½d. Sapong at 40s. were 9d. better, as were Tali Ayer at 22s. 6d. Tamiang spurted to 32s., or a gain of 1s. 6d. on the day. Rubber Trust and Tebrau both finished 6d. to the good at 33s. 9½d. and 39s. 6d., respectively. Anglo-Dutch at 46s. 3d., and Bukit Rajah at 24s., were also both 6d. better. Glenshiel gained 4½d. to 15s. 9d., while Kasintoe at 22s. 6d., and Kombok at 3s. 1½d., were both 3d. higher. Malayalam marked an increase of 6d. to 40s., while Moopiy Valley at 25s. were 4½d. to the good. Selangor at 5s. 3d., and Sungei Kapar at 4s. 4½d., were both 3d. higher, while Yam Seng put on 5d. to 2s. 8d. Ampat gained 2d. to 4s. 3½d. There were a number of other improvements of smaller amounts. The price of rubber fell to 17⅞d. per lb.

TEA SHARES FIRM.

A good business was transacted in the Tea Share market yesterday. Dealings for the most part commenced at a slightly higher level than the previous close, and generally improved further. A long list of alterations was marked at the finish, the majority of which were in favour of holders. In a few instances, however, the final quotations were distinctly lower. The market closed firm.

INDUSTRIALS VERY ACTIVE.

Yesterday's carry-over was easily arranged in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets, the usual charge for accommodation being 5¼-6¼ per cent. Business for new time was on a very large scale, and although in some instances prices finished below the best, owing to profit-taking, a further all-round advance has to be recorded on the day. Features were numerous. Bradford Dyers provided the outstanding feature of the Textile list on rumours of a bonus, the shares rising 4s. to 88s. Another good spot was Bleachers, which finished 3s. 3d. better at 64s. 3d., and Fine Spinners gained 2s. at 58s. Listers put on 1s. to 29s., and Calico Printers 9d. to 38s. 9d. Amalgamated Cottons continued in demand, and further rose to 13s. Joseph Byroms closed 9d. better at 10s., and Jackson and Steeples put on another 1s. to 14s. Courtaulds showed firmness at 59s. 6d. Cellulose Holdings Debs. developed strength, rising to 115. Renewed strength was shown by Insurances under the lead of Royal Exchange, which rose another 5 to 600 ex div. Royals put on ¼ to 31, and several gains of ¼ took place. Bank Shares moved to higher levels where changed, Bank of British West Africas being a strong spot at 4, or ¼ higher. Brunner Monds opened a firm market at round 40s. 9d., but following the declaration of the interim dividend of 3¾ per cent., or the same as a year ago, a few realisations took place, owing to disappointment at the absence of an increase, and the shares relapsed to 40s. 3d., at which they closed 3d. down on balance. Nobel Industries improved to 24s. 6d., Dunlops further improved to 11s., and the Prefs. to 23s. 9d. Waygood Otis continued a strong spot, rising to 1 7/16 on the offer to purchase or exchange the shares. Nelson Bros. stiffened to 2⅞, and several small advances occurred. Newspaper Shares were scarcely so firm, *Daily Mirrors* and *Sunday Pictorials* both losing 1/16 at 6 1/16 and 4 1/16 respectively. Associated Deferred, however, strengthened to 5⅞. Tobaccos kept very firm, especially B.A.T., which were strongly supported, and left off 1s. 9d. better at 112s. R. and J. Hills strengthened to 30s. 6d. Imperials, however, shed 3d. to 85s., and Cope Bros. eased to 68s. 9d.

Breweries had a very firm appearance, some good buying of Watney Def. raising the price another 7 to 272½. Allsopps were wanted and improved to ⅞, while the Prefs. put on 3½ to 93½. City of London Prefs. gained 5½ at 100. Benskins were a feature of strength at 28s., or 2s. better, and among low-priced descriptions Archibald Arrol Prefs. were favoured, and further improved to 12s. 9d.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	58-59	4½% Conv. Ln.	[illegible]
War Ln. 3½%	98½-97	5% Treas. Bds. 1933-1948	[illegible]
do. 4½%	97 [illegible]	Irish Land 2¾%	60-62
do. 5%	1004-1013	India 3½%	[illegible]
do. 4% Tax Free	100¼-101¼	do. 3%	[illegible]
Fund's Ln.	90¾-91¼	do. 3½%	102¾-103¾
Victory Bds.	90⅞-91⅛	do. 7%	114-116 +1
3½% Conv. Ln.	79⅞-80	Local Lns.	67-68
		Sudan 5½%	105-106

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer.	7¾-7⅞ +⅛	Hong Kong	125-127
Australasia	12-12½	Lloyds	[illegible]
Bank N.S.W.	40-41	Midland	[illegible]
Do. N. Z.	2⅞-3⅛	Nat. Dis. B.	[illegible]
Barclays A.	7⅜-8½	Nat. Prov. £4	[illegible]
Brit. F. Trade	[illegible]	Royal of Can.	32-35
Do. Overseas	1-2½	Stand. S.A.	[illegible]
Com. of Lon.	44-46	Un. Australia	14-14½
Char. of India	10⅞-20⅛	Westminster	17⅛-18 + 1/16

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943	93-95*	Q'sland 4 1940-50	[illegible]
Aust. Com. 5%	99-101*	do. 4½ 1920-5	[illegible]
do. 5%	104-105	do. 6% 1930-40	[illegible]
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	92-94	S. Africa 4% Cns.	90-92
Canada 4%	91-93	do. 6%	[illegible]
do. 4½ 1920-5	99-101*	S. A'stral'n 4½ 40-60	[illegible]
Cape 3½ Cons.	80-82	do. 5½%	99-101
Ceylon 6%	106-110	do. 6%	[illegible]
Natal 3½ '14	81-83	do. 6% 1932-42	99-101*
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	98-100	Victoria 4 '40-60	87-89
do. 5½ 1922-7	99-101*	do. 6% 1922-5	99-101*
do. 6% 1930-32	99-101*	W. Aus. 4% '42-72	87-89
do. 6% 1930-40	106-108	do. 6% 1930-40	101-103
N. Zeal'd 4 '29	90-92*	do. 5% 1935-45	99-101*
Nigeria 6%	114-116*	do. 6% 1930-40	104-6

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U. Nov. 4.				
100⅝	Argentine, 1886	100⅝	102⅝	
78½	Do. 4 p.c. Rescessions	76	78	
80⅞	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	81	83	
43	Brazil 4 p.c. 1889	43	45	+1
83⅝	Do. Funding, 1908	82	84	
71	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	71	72*	+1
92	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	92	94	
80	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	79	81	
68⅝	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	68	70	
99⅝	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	99	101	
74⅝	Egyptian Unified	74	76*	
22	French Loan	21⅝	22⅝	– ¼
17	Do. 4 p.c.	16⅝	17⅝	
78/3	German 3 p.c.	1⅝	1⅞	
20	Italian Rentes	19	21	
90⅝	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	89	91	
77⅝	Do. New 5 p.c., 1907	77	79	
81⅝	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	81	82	
40	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	40	50	
44	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	43	45	
3⅜	Peruvian Corporation	3⅞	4	
34⅝	Do. Pref.	34	35	
96	Do. Deb.	96	98	+1
26⅝	Portuguese 3 p.c.	26	28	+¼
105	San Paulo 8 p.c.	104	107	+1
	Spanish 4 p.c.	62	66*	
	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	68⅝	69⅝*	

BRITISH RAILS.

112	Great Western	111⅝	112⅝	
105	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord.	103⅝	104⅝	–1
–	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	81	83	+1
–	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	90	99	
–	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	97	99	
–	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	81	83	+1
83⅝	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	82	83	
32⅝	Do. Def. Ord.	31⅝	32⅝	
–	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	81	83	+1
–	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	80	82	+1
77	Metropolitan	76⅝	77⅝	
–	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	98	101	+1
83	Do. District	82⅝	83⅝	
83⅝	Southern Pref. Ord.	83	84	+ ½
44	Do. Def. Ord.	43⅝	44⅝	
41⅝	Do. "A"	41	42	
10⅝	Do. "B"	10	11	
–	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	100	102	
–	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf. '24	98	101	
2⅞	Underground Electric	2⅞	3⅛	+ ⅛
99	Do. Income Bonds	98	100	
104	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	106	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

88⅝	Antofagasta	87	89*	
–	Argentine G.W. Ord.	83	85	+ ½
–	Bahia Blanca	83⅝	85⅝	
–	Brazil Railway Common	[illegible]	[illegible]	
87⅝	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
82	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	81⅝	83⅝*	
82	Buenos Ayres and W.	81	83*	
166	Canadian Pacific	165	167	
76	Central Argentine	75	77*	
64⅝	Central Uruguay	63⅝	65⅝*	+ ½
–	Entre Rios	25⅝	27⅝*	+ ½
–	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	55	57	
–	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	82	84	+1
–	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	82	84	
–	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	82	84	
28⅝	Leopoldina	27⅝	28⅝	
–	Mexican Rails	8⅝	9⅝	
27	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26	28	
14⅝	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	13	15	
–	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref.	3⅝	4⅝	
1⅝	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref.	1⅝	2	
163	San Paulo Ord.	153	158	
88⅝	United Havana	88⅝	90⅝	

AMERICAN RAILS.

–	Atchison	119	121	+1
–	Baltimore	67	69*	
–	Chesapeake	91	93	
–	Chicago, Milwaukee	14	15	+ ½
30⅝	Erie	30	32	
–	Do. 1st Pref.	41	43	
–	New York, Ontario	22	24	
75	Southern Common	74	76	+1
–	Do. Pref.	83	85	–1
–	Southern Pacific	103	105	
151	Union Pacific	152	154	

TELEGRAPHS.

24⅝	Anglo-American Def.	24	24⅝	
1⅝	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1⅞	1⅞	
1⅝	Do. Pref.	1⅝	1⅝	
–	Do. Debs.	103	105	
1⅝	Do. Marine	1⅝	1⅝	
8 3	Do. Canada	8/1½	8/4½	–0/1½
–	Oriental Telephone	1⅝	2*	
6⅝	Radio Corporation	5⅝	6⅛	
10⅝	Do. Pref. (850)	10	10⅝	– ½

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

18/9	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅞	1	+ 1/16
91	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	90	92	+1½
–	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	90	92	
48/6	Do. Ord.	2⅝	2⅞	+ 1/16
490	Guinness	485	495	
–	Do. Pref.	115	120*	
–	Peter Walker Ord.	17/6	18/0	
37/6	South African Breweries	1⅞	1⅝	
21/6	Walker (John) Pref.	20/3	21/6	
267	Watney Combe Def.	270	275	+7

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

27/3	Aerated Bread	1⅛	1⅞	+ 1/16
42/9	Bovril Def.	2⅛	2⅜	
17/9	Lipton	⅞	1	
4⅝	Lyons (J.)	4⅝	4⅞	
–	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	22/4½	22/10½	+0/4½
5/7⅝	Maypole Def.	5/4½	5/10½	+0/4½
–	Smithfield Arg. Meat	⅝	⅞	– ⅛
1⅜	Spratt's Patent	1⅝	1⅞	
–	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1⅞	1⅞	
26/6	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅜	
–	Do. Pref.	4⅝	5⅛*	

IRON AND STEEL.

17/3	Armstrong (W. G.)	17/0	18/0	+0/3
11/3	Cammell Laird	12 0	13/0	+1/6
14 0	Dorman Long	13 9	14/9	+0/3
–	Furness Withy	1⅞	37/0*	+1/0
17 0	John Brown	⅞	⅞	
12/0	Do. (15/- paid)	⅝	⅝	
22 0	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1⅛	+ 1/16
57/6	South Durham Steel	2⅝	2⅞	+ 1/16
22/9	Siemens	1⅛	1⅝	+ 1/16
8 9	United Steel	8 6	9 6 +0 3	
12 0	Vickers Ord.	11/9	12/9	+0/6
–	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	⅝	1⅝*	

LAND.

–	Abonkir Land	18/9	19/9	
8/6	Argentine Northern Land	⅜	½	
27/0	Do. Southern Land	1⅝	1⅞	
⅝	B.N.B. Land	⅝	⅞	+ 1/16
23/0	Forestal Land	1⅛	1⅜	
5⅝	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5⅝	5⅞	
16/6	Niger Pref.	⅞	⅞	+ 1/16
10/6	Pekin Syndicate	⅝	⅝	+ 1/16
27/6	Rio Negro Lands	1⅝	1⅝*	

NEWSPAPERS.

5⅝	Assd. Newspapers Def.	5⅝	5⅞	
–	Daily Mail Deb.	109	112½	– ½
6⅝	Daily Mirror Ord.	6⅝	6⅝	– 1/16
4⅝	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	81/3	82/3	–1/0

NITRATES.

23⅝	Alianza	23	24*	
70/0	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	69/0	71/0	
8⅝	Lautaro Nitrate	8⅝	9*	
40/6	Lagunas Nitrate	37/6	38/6	
78/0	Liverpool Nitrate	77/0	79/0	
69/0	London Nitrate	69 0	71/0	
37/0	Rosario Nitrate	36/6	37/6	
40/0	Santa Rita Nitrate	39 0	41 0	
71/6	Santiago Nitrate	71/0	72/0	
17 3	Tarapaca Nitrate	16/6	17/6	–0/6

SHIPPING.

14/3	Cargo Fleet	14/0	15/0	+0/6
–	Court Line	32 4½	32/10½	+0/4½
–	Cunard Ord.	19/3	20/3	+0 3
–	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19 0	20/0	
–	P. and O. Def.	305	315	+5
–	Royal Mail Ord.	95	100*	+1

TEXTILES AND STORES.

12/3	Amalgamated Cotton	12/0	13/0	+0/6
62/6	Bleachers	3⅛	3⅜	+ 1/16
84/3	Bradford Dyers	4⅛	4⅜	+ 1/16
9 6	British Celanese Ord.	9/4½	9 7½	–0/1½
38/6	Calico Printers	1⅞	1⅞	+ 1/16
65/9	Coats	3⅛	3⅜	
–	Courtaulds	2⅞	3	
60/0	English Sewing Cotton	3	3⅛	
56/3	Fine Spinners	2⅞	3⅛	+ 1/16
44 6	Harrods	2⅛	2⅜	
–	Linen Thread Ord.	3⅛	3⅜	
–	Lister Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	
22/0	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

36/0	African and East. Trade	33/6	37/6	+0/6
3⅝	Anglo-Arg. Tram 1st Pf.	3⅝	3⅞	
16/3	Associated Cement	16/3	17/3	+0/3
–	Do. Pref.	16/6	17/6	+0/3
42/3	Borax Con. Def.	2⅛	2⅛	
57⅝	Brazilian Traction	57	59	
28/6	British Portland Cement	24/6	26/6*	
–	British Glass	2/0	2/3	+0/0¾
13/6	B.S.A.	12 6	13/6	
24/3	British Oil and Cake	1⅛	1⅜	
57	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	55	60	
–	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	86	91*	
110/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	109/6	111/6	+0/6
40/6	Brunner Mond	40 0	41/0	+0/3
63 0	Bryant and May	3⅛	3⅜*	
–	De la Rue Deb.	46	47	
10/9	Dunlop Rubber	10/6	11/0	+0/6
108	Do. Deb.	108	110	
–	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	108	110	
–	English Electric	17/6	18 0	+0/6
–	Finlay (James)	3⅛	3⅜	
21/0	General Electric Ord.	20/9	21/9	+0/3
–	Do. Debs.	103	106	
–	Gramophone Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	
85/3	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	84/3	85/9	
21/0	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	20/6	21/0	
–	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	103⅝	107⅝	
–	Lever 8 p.c. Debs.	97⅝	99⅝	
22	Mexican Trams	20	23	
–	Do. Bonds	78	80	
–	Do. L. and P. Bonds	83	85	
24/0	Nobel Ord.	23/6	25/0	+0/6
21/0	Do. Pref.	20/6	21/6	
–	Do. Def.	8/9	9/9	
42/9	Parent Tyre Def.	2⅛	2⅛	
21/0	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
30/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	28 6	31/0	+0/6
–	Rolls Royce	1⅛	1⅜	
–	Salt Union	1⅜	1⅞	
–	San Paulo Tram Deb.	97	101	
–	Shawinigan Water Debs.	111	116	
–	Tilling Ord.	2⅜	2⅝	
–	Do. 8½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	2⅜	2⅝	
–	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅛	+ 1/16
22/3	Wallpaper Def.	1⅛	1⅛	

OILS.

M.U. Nov. 4.				
⅝	Agwi Petroleum	⅝	⅞	+ 1/16
3⅝	Anglo-American	3⅝	3⅞	+ 1/16
2⅝	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2⅝	2⅞	+ 1/16
1⅞	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅞	1⅞	
24/3	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	24/0	24/6	
24/3	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	24/0	24/6	
3⅝	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	3⅝	3⅝	
9⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	9⅛	9⅜	+ ⅛
2⅝	Apex Trinidad	2⅝	3⅛*	
3⅝	Attock	3⅝	3⅞	
⅝	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	⅝	⅝	
8/3	British Burmah (8/-)	8/3	9/3	
13/6	British Controlled	13/9	14/9	+0/3
–	Do. Pref.	14/3	14/9	+0/6
5⅝	Burmah	5⅝	5⅝	+ 1/16
27/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/9	27/3	
2 7½	Caltex	2/6	2/9	+0/1½
8/0	Dacia Romano	7/6	8/6	
4⅝	Eagle Transport	4⅝	5	
102	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	101	103	
103	Do. Bearer	102	104	
3/0	General Pet. Trinidad A.	2/6	3/0	–0/3
16/3	Kern River (10/-)	15/1½	16/7½	+0/1½
10⅝	Lobitos	10⅝	10⅝	+ 1/16
–	Mexican Eagle	17/0	17/6	+1/1½
15/0	Do. Pref.	15 6	16/6	+0/6
13/1½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	13 0	13/6	+0/3
6/6	North Caucasian (10/-)	⅝	¾	
2/6	Peru Syndicate	0/9	1/0	
21/3	Phoenix	21/0	21/6	+0/3
–	Rumanian Consolidated	11/0	12/3	
29	Royal Dutch	29⅝	30⅛	+⅛
4⅝	Shell Transport	4⅛	4⅝	+ 1/16
9⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅝	10⅛	
25/0	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24 9	25/3	
2/3	Spies (10/-)	2/1½	2/7½	–0/1½
9/0	Steaua Romana	8/9	9/9	–0/3
7/0	Tankers Pref.	6/9	7/3	–0/1½
1⅝	Trinidad Central	1⅛	1⅝	+ 1/16
1⅛	Trinidad Lease	1⅛	1⅛	+ 1/16
6 0	United Brit. Trinidad	5 10½	6/4½	+0/1½
5/3	Ural Caspian	⅛	⅝	
2 0	Uroz Oil	2/4½	2/10½	
3⅝	V.O.C. Holdings	3⅝	3⅞	
3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2⅞	3⅛	

RUBBERS.

46/0	Anglo-Dutch	46 3	+0/3	
3/0	Anglo-Java	3 1	+0/1½	
1⅝	Anglo-Malay	24/0*	–1/10½	
4/9	Beriam Cons.	4 9	+0/1½	
3/1	Bukit Mertajam	3 4½	+0/1½	
2/2	Bukit Sembawang	2/3½		
2/2	Damansara	2/3		
17/6	Grand Central	23 7½		
23/6	Highlands	30/6		
2/10½	Kamuning	2/3*	–0/9	
4/6	Kepong	29 4½		
1⅞	Kuala Lumpur	22 0	+1/3	
1⅝	Labu	32 6	+1/3	
1⅝	Linggi	39 4½	+0/7½	
4/1½	London-Asiatic	4/3	+0/1	
–	Malacca	40 0	+0 11¼	
3	Malayalam	40 0	+0/6	
3/9	Merlimau	3 9	+0/1½	
1⅝	Moopiy Valley	25 0	+0/4½	
2 9	Port Dickson	2 9½	+0/0½	
3 6	Rubber Trust	33/9½	+0/6	
15 3	Seafield	14 7½	–0/4½	
1⅝	Sendayan	26 4½		
1⅝	Sialang	37 3	+1/3	
21/10½	Straits Rubber	22/1½	+0/3	
1⅝	Tali Ayer	22 6	+0/9	
1⅞	Tandjong	25 10½	–0 4½	
4/1½	Un. Serdang	4 1½	+1/4	
1⅝	United Sua Betong	77 6		
15 0	Vallambrosa	15 0		

Ampat	4/3½	+0/2	Mambakut	18 0	–2/0
Anglo-Sum.	32 9		N. Hummock	20 0	+10½
Bah Lias	34 9		P.P.K. (Cy'n)	20 0	
Batu Tiga	38 9	+1/3	Padang	20 7½	+0/1½
B.N.B.R. Trust	12 6	+1/0	Pegoh	38 9	+1/3
Brieh	2 2		Pilmoor	18/0	–0 6
Bukit Kubu	4 6½	–0/0½	Rim Malacca	3/7½	+0 0½
Bukit Rajah	24/0	+0/6	Rub. R. Johore	22 6	–0/6
Castlefield	5/1½	–0/3	Sapong	40 0	+0/9
Cheviot	3 4½	+0 0½	Sapumalk'de	3/0	
C-caly	3 4½		Selangor	5/3	+0 3
Eastern Trust	16 10½		Serdang C'nt'l	2 2½	
Gon. Ceylon	38 3	+1/3	Seomber Ajee	2 1½	
Glenbervie	20 3		Sumatra Con.	20 0	–0/10½
Glenshiel	15 9	+0 4½	Sungei Buaya	20 0	
Golden Hope	23 9	–1/0	Sungei Chohl	20/0	
Java Amal.	27 10		Sungei Kapar	4/4½	+0/3
Kapar Para	42 0		Sungei Kr. Pf.	27/6	
Kasintoe	22 6	+0 3	Taiping	1/11½	+0/0¼
Kepitigalla	1/8	+0/0½	Tamiang	32 0	+1/6
Kombok	3 1½	+0/3	Tebrau	39 6	+0/6
Langkat Sum	20 7½		Telogoredjo	47 6	
Ledbury	30 7½	+0 7½	Tempeh	1/11½	+0 0½
Malacca deb.	27/6		Un. Tamiang	3/2	–0/1
Manch'ter N.B.	25/0	+1/3	Yam Seng	2 8	+0/5

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div.

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	39⅝+	½	Doolooegram	57 0	
Anglo-Ceylon	51/10½	+0/4½	Doom Dooma	60/0	+1/4½
Assam Co.	44/9	+1/9	E.I. & Ceylon	63/6	+0/7½
Assam Cons.	19/10½	+0/6	E. Assam	68/0	+3/0
Assam Front'r	7	+ 1/16	East Produce	50/3	
Aso. T.E. Cy'la	41/3*	+1/3	Empire	54/4½	+1/0
Attaree Khat	47/6		Galaha Ceylon	41/7½	+0/3
Balijan	53/0	+0/6	Imperial	55/0	–0/3
Bargang	56/0	+1/0	Imperial Ceylon	36/6	+1/3
Borelli	88/0	+4/0	Jetinga Valley	55/6	+0/6
Borbelia	18⅝		Jhanzie	89/6	–0/3
Bowlana	3⅝		Jokai	90/4½	+2/0
Brahmapootra	29⅝	– ½	Jorehaut	87/3	+0/6
Brit. Assam	27/0		Longai Valley	58/6	+0/4½
Brit. Indian	87/4½	–0 4½	Lungia	43/6	–0/4
Budla Beta	(£1 sh.) 6⅝		Lunuva	46/3	+0/7½
Cachar & Do'ars	94/0	+0/3	Majuli	87/6	
Ceylon Plant	5⅝		Moabund	61/4½	+0/6
Ceylon Prop	54/9		Nedeem	81/1½	+0/6
Chargola	36/6		New Sylhet	96/3	+1/6
Chubwa	94/9	+1/0	Pandan	20/9	+0/3
Chulsa	62/10½		Peacock & Nil.	4/5½	
Con. Tea & L.	63⅝+	1⅛	Poonmudi	35/4½	
Darjeeling	36/7½	+0/1½	Rosehaugh Cey	15/3	+0/2½
Ditto Cons	44/6		Seph'rjuri Sheel	15/3	+1/6
Dejoo	27/6		Singlo	82/6	+1/6
Deundi	27/7½	+0/1½	Tea Corp.	27/6	–0 1½
Dimbula Valley	55/6	+1/9	Travancore	5	+0/3
Dooars	88 9	+1/10½	U. Planters, C.	56/6	

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance Assurance New Shares, 15⅛; Atlas, 18⅜, £18 6/6; British General, 46/6, 4½d., 1½d., 9d., 8/-; Commercial Union, 22⅞; Commercial Union 4 p.c. Ocean Deb. Stock, 92⅞; do. West of Scotland, 5 p.c. Deb. Stock, 103⅞; Eagle Star, 9, 8⅞; Employers' Liability, 25/3, 4/10½; General Accident, 7⅛, ⅞, ⅞; Guardian, 7⅞, 8, 6; do. Eastern, 9/6; London and Lancashire, 20⅛, ⅛, 1/16, ¼, ⅛; London Associated Re-Insurance Corporation, 6/7½; London Assurance, 11⅞, ⅞, ⅞; North British, 20⅛, ¼, ⅛; Northern, 16, 15⅝, 16; Phoenix, 12⅛; do. Pelican, 12⅛, £12 7/-, 12⅛; Prudential "A," 19⅝, £19 16/-, 20⅛, 19⅛; do. "B," 38/-, 1½d., 3d., 7/6, 7/9; Royal Exchange, 600, 595; Royal Insurance, 31, 30⅛, 1⅛, 30⅛, £30 18/6; Scottish Union, 10⅛, £10 11/9, 10⅛; Sun Insurance, 21⅛, ⅛; United British, 33/6, 4/9; Yorkshire, £10 18/6, £10 17/-; Associated Re-Insurance (10/- paid), 8/6; Caledonian (£1 paid), 16⅛; Pearl (£1 paid), 44⅛; do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref., 26/9.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, 14⅛; do. New, 15⅛; Caledonian, £16 6/-; Employers' Liability, 82/9, 4/-; General Accident (x.d.), 7⅞, 8⅛, ⅛; London Lancashire (x.d.), 20⅛, ⅛; London Assurance (x.d.), 11⅞; North British (x.d.), 20⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Northern (x.d.), 15⅞; Phoenix (x.d.), 12⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Norwich Union (x.d.), 250/1⅛; Royal Exchange (x.d.), 595; Royal Insurance, 31, 30⅛, 1⅛, ⅛; Scottish Union, 10⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Sea, 76/-.

LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

FRESH BUYING IN KAFFIR SECTION.

Cheerfulness was maintained throughout the Stock Exchange yesterday, and there is no doubt that the public is beginning to realise that prospects are sufficiently encouraging to warrant purchases for investment and also for speculation. Gilt-edged descriptions were steady, Industrials active and higher, and Mines easily maintained the strength noticeable on the opening day of the week. Not only so, but fresh buying was in evidence, and this was particularly noticeable in the Kaffir section. In addition to the public demand here, the Cape was again a buyer of some of its specialities, and Paris was inclined to lend support. The October results began to make their appearance, and the majority showed an improvement upon those for the preceding month, particularly in the matter of profits and reduced working costs. Once more the list exhibited an encouraging array of advances, Central Mining, City Deep, Rand Mines, Randfontein, Van Ryn Deep, Robinson Deep "B," Anglo-American, Crown Mines, Union Corporation, an. Randfontein being prominent among the leading counters. Durban Deep, Nourse Mines, Village Deep, West Springs, C.M.S., and Gold Mines Investment were also on the up grade. The shrinkages numbered less than half a dozen, and were quite insignificant.

Rhodesians gave a rather better account of themselves, and Chartered strengthened, while Cam. and Motor enjoyed some support and several of the lower-priced descriptions were being picked up. Paris bought a few De Beers Def. and the price improved, and Jagersfontein and Angola were also harder; but West Africa Diamonds drooped. The price of tin fell back £3 2s. 6d. to £256 5s. per ton, but the share market generally held up well. Siamese on profit-taking were a trifle easier, but Kamuning and Kramat Pulai hardened, and there was rather more activity in the Nigerian group, several members of which showed improvement. The Ipoh announces a second interim dividend of 9d. per share, making 1s. 6d. so far. There were signs of reviving interest in the West African department, and Fanti Cons. led a fairly general advance. Among Australians, Barriers were still being picked up, and Norths and Zinc Ord. strengthened; while Sulphide Ord. were a good market on talk of pending developments. In sympathy with the satisfactory statistical position of the metal, Coppers were again in favour. Rio Tintos, which were helped by Paris buying, led the way, followed by Mount Lyell and Mount Morgan. Elsewhere, Chosen Syndicate hardened, and Kirkland Lake again went ahead; but Dome Mining on a few profit-taking realisations fell back. Huronian Belts were inquired for in anticipation of the early issue of a satisfactory report, but the price was not quotably altered. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Nov. 3.			
1⅝	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅞-1⅞	+ 1/16
18/3	Anglo-French	18/6-18/9	+0/3
1⅝	Brakpan	3⅛-3⅜	
1⅝	Cent. Min'g (£8)	11⅛-11⅜	+ 1/16
13/3	Central W'st(5/)	13/6-14/0	+0/3
1⅝	City Deep	3⅛-3⅜	+ 1/16
2⅛	Con. Goldfields	2⅛-2⅜	
14 6	Cons. Main Reef	14 3-14 9	
16/3	Cons. Selec. 10/	16/3-16 9	+0/3
1⅝	Crown Mines (10/)	1⅝-1⅞	
26/3	Durban Deep	26/9-27/9	+1/0
12/3	E. Rand Prop.	12/0-14/0	
3⅝	Geduld	3⅛-3⅜	
1⅞	Gen. Mining	1⅞-1⅞	
10/3	G. M. Investment	10/6-11/0	+0/6
7⅝	Government Mines	7⅝-7⅞	+ 1/16
12/6	H. E. Prop.	12/3-12 9	
36 9	Johan'burg I'vst	36 9-37/3	
9/0	Kleinfontein	8/9-9 3	
17/6	Knight's	17/3-17 9	
23/0	Langlaagte Estate	22/9-23/6	
3⅝	Meyer & Charlton	3⅞-4	
3⅝	M'derfontein (10/)	3⅝-3⅞	
27/3	Modder B. (5/)	1⅝-1⅞	
1⅝	Modder Deep (5/)	1⅝-1⅞	
1⅝	Modder East	1⅝-1⅞	
1⅝	New State Areas	1⅝-1⅞	
9 6	Nigel	[illegible]	
10/3	Nourse Mines	10/3-10 9	+0/3
3⅝	Rand Mines (5/)	3⅝-3⅞	+ 1/16
21 9	Randfontein	22/6-23 0	+0/6
1⅝	Rob'son D.A. (1/)	1⅝-1⅞	
39 6	Robinson Dp. B.	40/3-40/9	+0/9
1⅝	Rose Deep	1⅝-1⅞	
12 6	Sabie (5/-)	13/1½-41½	+4½
1⅝	S.A. Gold Trust	1⅝-1⅞	
2⅝	Springs Mines	2⅝-2⅞	
12/6	Sub Nigel	12/6-13/0	+0 3
3⅝	Trans. and Del. B.	3⅛-3⅜	
23/0	Trans-Con. L(10/)	22 6-22 6	–0/6
43/6	Union Corp(12/6)	43/6-44/0	+0/3
25/6	Van Ryn	25/9-26/3	
3⅝	Van Ryn Deep	3⅝-4	+ 1/16
21/6	Vereeniging	21/6-21/0	–0/10½
12/3	Village Deep	13/0-13/3	+7½
25/0	West Springs	25/3-25/9	+0/3
5/0	Do. Options	5/3-5/9	+0/3
1	Wit'ersrand Deep	19/9-20/3	

RUSSIAN.

7/0	Lena Gold	6/6-7/0	
4/9	Russo-Asiat. Con.	4/7½-7/0	
4/0	Russian Mining	3/6-4/6	
6/0	Siberian Props.	5/6-6/6	
⅝	Spassky	⅝-⅞	

RHODESIAN.

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5/9	Bechuanaland Ex.	5/0-6/6	
2⅝	Cam and Motor	2⅝-2⅞	+ 1/16
1⅝	Chart'd B.S.A.(15/)	1⅝-1⅞	+ 1/16
3/0	Falcon	3/0-3/6	+0/3
21/3	Gaika Gold	21/3-22 3	+0/3
12/9	Globe & Phoenix (5/)	12/9-14/3	–0/3
6/7½	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	6/3-6/9	
1	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅝	Rezende	2⅝-2⅞	
4/6	R. Broken Hill (5/)	4/6-5/0	
11/9	Selukwe (2/6)	11/0-11/6	–0/3
1⅝	Shamva Mines	1⅝-1⅞	
4⅝	Sherwood Starr	4⅝ 4⅞	
29/9	Tanganyika	29/6-30/0	
1⅝	Vic. Falls Ord.	1⅝-1⅞	+ 1/16
35/0	do. Pref.	34/6-35/6	
16/0	Wankie Col. 10/	15/6-16/6	
4/9	Willoughby	4 9-5 3	+0/3
21/3	Zambesia Expl.	21/0-21/6	

DIAMOND.

1⅝	Angola Diamond	1⅝-1⅞	+ 1/16
17/9	Con. D. S. W. A.	18/1½-7½	
11⅝	De Beers Def.	11⅝-11⅞	+ 1/16
11⅝	do. Pref.	11⅝-11⅞	
2⅝	Jagersfontein	2⅝-2⅞	+ 1/16
⅝	N. Val. River	⅝-⅞	
7	Premier Pf. 5/-	6⅞-7⅛	
–	West African	10 0-10 6	–0/3

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅝	Amal. Zinc	⅞-1*	
13/9	Associated	13/6-14/0	
29/3	Broken Hill Prop.	28 9-29 9	
3⅝	B. Hill Sth. (New)	3⅝-3⅞	
1⅝	Electro Zinc Pref.	1⅝-1⅞	
12/6	Ivanhoe	12/6-13/6	
15/9	Lake View (10/)	15 3-16/3	
4⅝	North Broken Hill	4⅝-4⅞	+ 1/16
16 9	Sulphide Ord.	16/9-17/0	+0/6
12 6	South Kalgurli	12 9-13/3	
27/0	Zinc. Ord. (10/-)	26 9-27/9	+0/3
2⅝	do. Pref.	2⅝-3	

WEST AFRICAN.

11/3	Ashanti Gold (4/)	11/6-12/0	+0/3
3/3	Fanti Cons. 8/0	3/9-10/3	+0/6
15/-	Gold Coast Amal.	15/3-15/9	+0/3
4/0	Taquah & Abosso	3/9-4/3	

TIN.

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18/3	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	18/9-14/3	+0/6
3⅝	Aramayo Mines	3⅝-3⅞	
1⅝	Bisichi	1⅝-1⅞	
5/0	Bash Pool (5/)	4/9-5/3	
2⅝	Gopeng	2⅝-2⅞	+ 1/16
30/0	Ipoh	30/0-31/0	
17/3	Kaduna Synd (5)	17/6-18/0	
2⅝	Kamunting	2⅝-2⅞	+ 1/16
1⅝	Kramat Pulai	1⅝-1⅞	+ 1/16
2⅝	Malayan T.D.	2⅝-2⅞	
16/3	Mongu	16/3-16/9	
22/0	Naraguta	22/0-23/0	
11/3	Pahang (5/-)	11/0-11/9	
1⅝	Rambutan	1⅝-1⅞	
1⅝	Renong	1⅝-1⅞	
15/3	Ropp (4/ Sha)	15/0-15/6	
3⅝	Siamese	3⅝-4	– 1/16
6/0	South Bukeru	5/6-6/6	
30/0	Tavoy	30/0-31/3	
2⅝	Tronoh	2⅝-2⅞	

COPPER.

⅝	Arizona (5/-)	⅝-⅞	
3/9	Mount Elliott (£5)	3⅝-3⅞	
9/9	Mount Morgan	9/9-10/3	+0/3
22/6	Mount Lyell	22/3-23/3	+0/6
1⅝	Namaqua	1⅝-1⅞	
35⅝	Rio Tinto (£5)	35⅝-35⅞	+ ¼
12/6	S. American (2/)	12/6-13/0	

MISCELLANEOUS.

1⅝	Bingo Pref.	25/0-26/0	
14/6	Brit. Platinum	14/0-14/6	
13/9	Burma Corp.	13/9-14/3	
7/0	Champion Reef	6/10½-7 4½	
1⅝	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅝-1⅞	+ 1/16
–	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6	
4/0	Corderoy Synd.	3 9-4/3	
3	Huronian Belt	3-3⅛	
10/3	Keeley Silver	10/0-10/6	
8/6	Kirkland Lake	8/9-9/3	+0/3
1⅝	Mexico Mines	1⅝-1⅞	
3⅝	Minerals Separ't'n	3⅝ 4	
12/0	Min. Crp. of Can.	11/9-12/3	
12/0	Mysore (10/-)	12/6-12/6	
6/0	Nat. Min. (£-p.)	6/1½-6/4½	
8/0	Nundydroog	7/6-8/6	
13/0	Ooregum	12/6-13/6	
12/0	Oroville	12/6-13/6	
13/0	Porcupine Gold	13/6-14/6	
13/0	St. John Del Rey	12/9-13/9	
24 0	San Francisco (10/)	23/6-24/6	
1⅝	Santa Gertrudis	1⅝-1⅞	
–	S. Amer. G. Areas	⅞-1	
5/7½	Vipond	5/7½-6/0	
1⅝	Waihi Gold	1⅝-1⅞	

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—58 1/16, ⅛. 3½ p.c. War Loan—96⅛, ¼. 4½ p.c. War Loan—97⅞, ⅛, 7⅛. 5 p.c. War Loan—101 1/16. 4 p.c. War Loan—101⅛, 100⅞, 100⅞, 1 1/16. Funding Loan—91⅛, ⅛, 90⅞, ⅞, 1⅛. Victory Bonds—92⅛. Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.—79⅞, ⅞, 80. India 3½ p.c.—[illegible]. India 4½ p.c. Loan—*106⅛, 14. India 4½ p.c. Stock—[illegible]. India 7 p.c. Loan—[illegible]. Australia 6 p.c. Stock—[illegible]. South Africa 6 p.c.—104⅛, ⅛. Japan 6 p.c. Sterling—91⅞, ⅞. Aerated Bread—27/3. African and Eastern—36/6, 9d. Amalgamated Cotton—12/10½, *4⅛d., 9d., 9⅛d., 6d., 13/-, 12/7½, 6⅛d. Amalgamated Press—44/-, 3/9. Anglo-Ceylon Rubber—52/-, 1/9. Anglo-Dutch Rubber—46/3, 45/6. Armstrong—18/-, 17/6, 7⅛d., 9d., 10⅛d., 18/1⅛, 17/10⅛. Assoc. Cement—*16/9, 17/3, 17/-, 1⅛d., 4⅛d. Assoc. Newspapers Def.—*5 11/16. Baldwins Ord.—16/4⅛, 3d. Barclays Bank "A"—£8 1/9, 8⅛. Bovril Def.—43/3, 4/-, 3/-, 3d. Brazilian Traction—110/9. British-American Tobacco—110/9, 11/-, 10/6, 7⅛d., 111/6, 4⅛d. British Oil and Cake—24/1⅛, 4⅛d., 3d. Brunner Mond—40/7⅛, 9d., 40/3, 9d. Bryant and May—51/9, 2/-. Buenos Ayres Great Southern—87⅛, ⅛. Buenos Ayres Western Ord.—82. Buenos Ayres Pacific—82⅛. Calico Printers—38/4⅛, 9d., 3d., 9/3. Canadian Pacific—166⅛. Central Argentine Cons.—76⅛, ⅛. Coats—66/6, 6/-, 5/4⅛. Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.—*21/3, 10⅛d. Part. Pref.—22/7⅛, 10⅛d. Gory (Wm.)—48/-. Courtaulds—*59/6, 9d., 7⅛d., 1⅛d., 3d., 60/-, 59/-. do. 7 p.c. Pref.—18/9, 19/-. do. 6 p.c. Pref.—13/-, 12/10⅛. Crosse and Blackwell—[illegible]. Crosse and Blackwell Pref.—12/6. Cunard Ord.—19/7⅛, 3d., 4⅛d. do. Debs.—104⅛. Daily Mail Trust Debs.—108⅛. Daily Mirror Ord.—6⅛. Dorman Long—13/7⅛. Dunlop Ord.—11/4⅛, 3d., 6d., 4⅛d., 10/10⅛, 9d., 11/-, 10/9, 11/0⅛. do. Debs.—*107, 10/11⅛, *10/6, *9d. do. C Pref.—23/-, 3/6, 3/1⅛. Dunlop Tire America Debs.—106⅛, 2/10⅛. Edison Swan—6/2⅛, 5/9, 6/-, 1⅛d., 6/1⅛. Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.—19/6, 4⅛d., 3d. English Sewing Cotton—61/-, 60/9, 6d., 60/-, 9d. Fine Cotton Spinners—56/9, 8/3, 7/9, 7/-, 6/9, 8/3, 5/9, 6/10⅛, 7/9, 4⅛d. Forestal Land—22/10⅛, 3/3, 3/-, 6d., 1⅛d., *3d., 4⅛d., 2/10⅛, *9d., 9d. General Electric Ord.—20/6, 9d., 1/-, 1⅛d., 4⅛d., 20/10⅛, 1/6; do. Debs.—106⅛. German 3 p.c.—28/-, 7/-, 9⅛d., 9d., 8/-, 9/-, 7/6; do. 3½ p.c.—18/9, 20/-, 3d., 19/6, 18/6, 9d.; do. 4 p.c.—20/-, 19/4⅛, 20/-; do. 7 p.c. External Loan, 1924—97⅛, 7⅛, 6⅛, 7⅛, 6⅛, 7⅛; do. issued at 92 (partly paid)—34⅛, 5, 4⅛, 5⅛. Grand Central Rubber—23/9, 4/-, 3/6, 7⅛d. Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.—67⅛, 8, 7⅛, 7. Great Western Rail.—111⅛, 12⅛, 11⅛, 12⅛, 11⅛, 12⅛, *11⅛, 2⅛. 9. Harland and Wolff 6 p.c. Pref.—18/1⅛, 3d., 17/10⅛, 18/-, 17/9, 18/2⅛, 17/10⅛. Harrod's Ord.—44/3, 5/-, 4/9, 7⅛d., 4/-, 1⅛d. Highlands Rubber—40/-, 38/9, 9/6⅛, 40/-, 38/9. Hudson's Bay Ord.—5⅛, ⅛. Hungarian 7⅛ p.c., 1924—90⅛, ⅛. Imperial Tobacco—85/7⅛, 3d., *5/6, 9d., 4⅛d., 6d., 10⅛d., *4/7⅛, 5/10⅛, 1⅛d., 8/-, 9d.; do. Canada—28/6, 7⅛d., 4⅛d., 3d. Jute Industries—5/7⅛, 10⅛d., 6/-, 5/11⅛, 9d. Kassala Cotton—17/1⅛, 16/10⅛. Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/-, 20/10⅛, 1/1⅛, 2⅛d., 3d., 20/9, *1/-, 20/11⅛, 1/2⅛; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—21/3, 20/10⅛, 1/-, 2⅛d., 1/1⅛; do. 7 p.c. Debs.—106⅛. Linggi Rubber—38/10⅛, 9/9, 40/-, 38/9, 9/6, *7/6, 40/3, 40/-, 39/-. Lipton Ord.—28/4⅛, 7⅛d., 7/10⅛, *7/-, 8/6. Lister Ord.—28/3, 1⅛d., 6d., 9d., 8/4⅛, 10⅛d., 9/-, 3d., 9d. Lloyds Bank—60/6, 1⅛d., 7⅛d., 3d., 4⅛d., 7⅛d. London Asiatic Rubber—4/4, 4⅛d., 3⅛d., 3⅛d., 2⅛d. London, Midland and Scottish Ord.—105⅛, ⅛, 4⅛, ⅛, 4⅛, ⅛, 4⅛, ⅛, 5. London and North-Eastern Pref. Ord.—82⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Def. Ord.—32⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.—*63/4⅛, 4/4⅛, 5/7⅛; do. 7 p.c. Pref.—25/1⅛, *4/1⅛, 5/3, 5/-. Malayalam Rubber—40/-, 39/-, 39/6, 40/1⅛. Marconi Ord.—36/6, 7/6, 8/-, 6/10⅛, 7⅛d., 7/1⅛, 4⅛d., 6d., 7/-, 8/-, 6/6, 7/6, 8/-; do. Pref.—33/1⅛, 9d.; do. Debs.—103⅛, *4⅛, *4, *3; do. Marine—22/9, 3d., 3/-; do. Canada—8/-, 1⅛d., 2⅛d., 4⅛d., *8/-, 6d., 3d., 3d. Maypole Def.—5/9, 6d., 5⅛d., 6⅛d., 7⅛d., 9d. Metropolitan Rail.—77⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, *7⅛, 6⅛. Metropolitan District—53⅛, ⅛. Midland Bank—85⅛, ⅛. Nat. Prov. Bank (£6⅛)—9⅛, ⅛; do. (£4)—11, 10⅛, ⅛, 11. Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.—23/7⅛. Niger 8 p.c. Pref.—16/7⅛, 6d., 17/-, 16/9, 4⅛d., 9d. Nobel Industries—24/1⅛, 3d., 6d., 1⅛d.; do. Pref.—*20/7⅛, *6d., 1/3; do. Deferred—9/5⅛, 10⅛d.; do. Debs.—100⅛. Parent Ord.—22/10⅛; do. Def.—41/10⅛, 3/9. Peruvian Corp. Pref.—34⅛, ⅛, 5, 4⅛, 5⅛, 4⅛, 5⅛. Platt Bros. Ord.—36/6, 6/-, 5/4⅛, 5/6. P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.—100⅛. Prussian Consols. 3½ p.c.—28/-, 7/-, 9⅛d., 9d., 9/-, 7/6. Radio Corp. Com.—6⅛; do. Pref.—10⅛, 10. Rubber Trust—34/-, 3/-, 3/6, 4/-, 3/4⅛. Selfridge 1⅛d., 9d., 7⅛d., *2/10⅛, 3/6; do. Pref.—24/6. Smithfield and Ord.—28/3, 8/1⅛, 9d. Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.—Argentine—16/1⅛. do. Def. Ord.—44⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 83⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *3⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Ord. "B"—*10⅛, *A"—4⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Sudan Plantations—6 23-64, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Sunday Pictorial Ord.—*81/10⅛, 2/6, 1/3, 7⅛d., 80/7⅛, 2/6, 80/7⅛. Swedish Match B—8⅛, 9, 8⅛, ⅛, 63-64, ⅛, ⅛, 9, 8⅛. Turkish Unified—16⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 39/4⅛, 9/-. Underground Elec.—58/9, 9/3, 60/-, 59/4⅛, 9/-. Underground Income Bonds—99⅛, 7⅛d., 60/7⅛. Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.—23/-, 7⅛, 9. United Dairies—38/6, 9/3, 9/-, *8/3, 2/9, 10⅛d. United of Havana Rail.—89, ⅛, 8⅛, 9⅛. United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.—*12/-. United Serdang Rubber—4/2⅛, 1⅛d., 4/-, 3d., 2d., 2⅛d., 3d., 2⅛d., 4d. United Tobacco—66/7⅛, 6/-, 5/9, 10⅛d., 6/9⅛, 3d., 1⅛d., 3d. Vickers—12/1⅛, 12/-, 4⅛d., 6d., 1⅛d. Walker (Peter) "B" Pref. 1⅛d., 5⅛d., 1⅛d., 6⅛d. Watney Combe Def.—*268, 72⅛, ⅛, 4, 70, 68, 9, 66, 74, 69. Westminster Bank—17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Whiteley (Wm.)—72/6, 2/-, 1/3. Workman Clark Debs.—25, 4⅛, 5.

MINES.

Akim—10/10⅛, 11/-. Anglo-American Corp.—26/7⅛, 9d., 6/-, 6⅛d., 4⅛d., 10⅛d., 3d., 5/11⅛, 6/1⅛. Brakpan—75/7⅛, 5/-, 6/3, 5/3⅛, 5/3, 4/4⅛, 6/3, 9d., 1⅛d. British South Africa (Chartered)—15/-, 17/1⅛, *10/-, 11/10⅛, 6d. Cam and Motor—*50/9⅛, 3/3⅛, 5⅛d., 2/6, 4/0⅛. Central Mining—*11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *12, 11⅛, *11⅛. Chosen Syndicate—34/0⅛, 1⅛d., 3d., 3⅛d. City Deep—68/3, 70/-, 7⅛d., 11⅛d., 1/3, 1/6⅛, 70/3⅛, 1/-, 69/4⅛, *68/9. Consol. Diamond Mines S.W. Africa—18/6, 7⅛d., 18/-, 4⅛d. Consol. Gold Fields—19/4⅛, *2⅛d., 7⅛d., 8⅛d., 19/-, *18/9, 20/-, 19/6. Consol. Main Reef—*13/10⅛, 14/7⅛, 6d., *3d., 4⅛d., 9d., 3d., 6d. Consol. Mines Selection—15/7⅛, 5⅛d., 6d., 15/3, 16/-, 15/10⅛, 16/1⅛, 15/9, 16/3, 4⅛d., 6d. Corderoy Syndicate—4/3, 3d., 1⅛d., 3/9, *3/9⅛. Crown Mines—39/9, 9/-, 8/5⅛, 9/4⅛, 8⅛d., 3d., 1⅛d., 8/9⅛. Durban Roodeport Deep—26/3, 6d., 6/-, 1⅛d., 4⅛d., 9d. East Rand Prop.—14/-, 13/10⅛, 6d., 3/3, 5/11⅛, *7/6, 5/7⅛. General Mining—13/6. Government Areas—7⅛, 1/16, ⅛, 66/6, *5/-, 3⅛d. Huronian Belt—60/-. Johannesburg Invest.—36/10⅛, 7/6, 7/-, 8/1⅛, 7/9, 11⅛d., 7⅛d., 6/3, 7/10⅛, 6/9, 7⅛d. Kirkland Lake—9/-, 8/10⅛. Langlaagte—23/4⅛, 6d., 3d., 9d. Modderfontein B (5/- shares)—28/4⅛, 1⅛d., 8/-, 5⅛d., 7⅛d., 6d., 9d., *9/-. Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)—47/2⅛, 6/10⅛, 7/6⅛, *5/9. Modderfontein East—20/7⅛, 1/3, 20/4⅛. Mount Lyell—22/10⅛, *4⅛d. New Kleinfontein—5/9, 6/-. New Modderfontein—33/1⅛, 2/6, 1/10⅛, 2/-, 9⅛d., *2/6. New State Areas—39/0⅛, 7/6, 9/4⅛, 8/9, 6/3, 9/-, *8/1⅛. Nourse—9/9, 10/1⅛, 3d., *9/6. Pengkalen—41/-. Rand Mines—60/-, 3⅛d., *60/-, 59/4⅛, 9d., 61/3, 60/7⅛, *59/9⅛. Randfontein Estates—*21/10⅛, 2/8⅛, 1⅛d., 4⅛d., 7⅛d., *1/9, *2/1⅛, 5⅛d., 6d. Robinson Deep B—40/-, 1⅛d., 39/9, 40/6, 9d. Ropp Tin—15/3⅛, 3d., 1⅛d., 15/-. Rose Deep—14/1⅛, 13/9, 14/3, 4⅛d., 6d. Russo-Asiatic—4/7⅛, 9d. Selukwe Gold—14/-. 11/9, 7⅛d., 3d., 6d., 4⅛d., 10⅛d. South American Copper—12/10⅛, 9d., 1/3, 12/7⅛, 4⅛d., 6⅛d., 3⅛d. Springs—57/1⅛, 6/10⅛, 7⅛d., 7/-, 6d., 3⅛d. Union Corporation—43/6, *8/1⅛, 6/9, 6/-, 6⅛d., 3⅛d., 1/3, 44/-. Van Ryn—25/7⅛, 6/3, 9d. Van Ryn Deep—74/4⅛, 4/1⅛, 3/9, *4/-, 7/6, 7/-, 8/9, 7/6. Village Deep—13/7⅛, 10⅛d., 9d., 6d., 13/-, 13/3, 1⅛d., 12/11⅛, *7/6, 13/4⅛, 3⅛d., *10/6, *12/6, *13/6.

OILS.

Agwi Corp. "A"—10/-, 9/9⅛, 10/3, 9/9. Anglo-American Ord.—75/-, 6/3, 6⅛d. Anglo-Ecuadorian—52/2⅛, 1/6⅛, 10⅛d., 3d., 2/6, 1/-. Anglo-Persian Ord.—61/10⅛, 2/-, 3/1⅛, 2/9⅛, 1/6⅛, *3d., *3/9, 60/11⅛, 60/-, 2/-; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—24/4⅛, 1⅛d., 6d., 4/-. British Controlled Com.—13/9, 9⅛d., 6⅛d., *4⅛d., *6d., 6⅛d., 7⅛d.; do. Pref.—13/9⅛, 14/-, 1⅛d., 2⅛d., 3d., 14/0⅛, 3⅛d., 4⅛d., 3⅛d., 6d. Burmah—5 1/16, *13-64, ⅛, 1/16. Caltex—2/7⅛, 8⅛d., 3d., 6d., 6⅛d., 6⅛d., 8d. Kern River—14/10⅛, 15/6, 15/-, 4⅛d., 3⅛d., 1⅛d. Lobitos—10⅛. Mexican Eagle Ord.—16/6, 16/-, 9d., 3⅛d., 17/-, *7⅛d., 16/3, 7⅛d., 10⅛d., *3d., 3⅛d., *19/3; do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.—13/-, 12/10⅛, 13/1⅛d., 1⅛d., 2⅛d., 13/3, 6d., 13/1⅛. Phoenix Oil—21/-, 1⅛d., 2⅛d., 3d., 4⅛d., 6d., 20/10⅛. Royal Dutch—29⅛, 30⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8⅛. Shell—84/0⅛, 5/3⅛, 5/-, 4/4⅛, 9d., 4/6, 5/3, 3/9, 4/8⅛, *4/0⅛, *3/9, 6/3, 6/-, 5/4⅛, 7⅛d. Trinidad Leaseholds—*39/4⅛, 40/-, 39/-, 6d., 4⅛d., 9d., 39/4⅛, 8/5⅛, 9/8⅛, 8⅛d., 8/-, 8/6, *6d., 9/3. V.O.C. Holdings—62/6, 2⅛d., 1/10⅛, 3/0⅛, 60/3⅛, 11⅛d., 3/-, 1/3, 3/1⅛; do. Pref.—61/3.

TEAS.

Amalgamated Estates—39 1/16, 40, 39⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 40. Anglo-Ceylon—52/-, 1/9. Assam Company—43/10⅛, 4/9, 4/-, 9d., 3d., 6d., 5/-, 4/-, 6d., *5/6, 4/-, 3d., 5/-. Assam Cons.—19/7⅛, 20/1⅛. Assam Frontier—7, 1/16. Assam Dooars—44⅛. Assoc. Tea Estates, Ceylon (x.d.)—41/3. Balijan—53/-. Bargang—*56/-. Borelli—88/-. Brahmapootra—29⅛. British Indian—87/-. Cachar and Dooars—94/-. Ceylon Plant—£5 1/6. Chubwa—94/-, 6d., 11/6, 5/-. Cons. Tea and Lands—62⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Darjeeling—36/-, 6d., 9d. Deundi—27/9, 7⅛d. Dimbula Valley—55/7⅛, 6d. Dooars—88/7⅛, 6/-, 6d. Doom Dooma—60/-, 8/6, 9/6, 9/-, 9/9. East India and Ceylon—63/6. Eastern Assam—68/-, 9/6. Eastern Produce—78/6, 80/-, 1/-, 79/6, 9d. Empire—54/-, 3/9, 5/-, 4/-. Galaha Ceylon—41/3, 2/-, 1/-, 9d., 7⅛d., 9d. Imperial—55/-, 4/6, 5/3, 4/9, 5/-. Imperial Ceylon—36/6. Jetinga Valley—55/6. Jhanzie—89/6, 90/-, 88/6. Jokai—90/4⅛, 90/-, 6d., 1/-, 89/3, 90/-. Jorehaut—87/3, 6d., 7/-, 6d. Longai Valley—58/6, 3/6, 9d., 4/-, 3d. Lungia—43/6. Lunuva—46/3, 9d. Majuli—87/6, 9/-. Moabund—60/6, 1/6, 60/9, 1/-, 9d., 2/-, 3d. Nedeem—80/9, 80/-, 7⅛d., 2/3. New Sylhet—96/3. Pandan—20/9. Peacock and Nilambe—4/5, 5⅛d., 3⅛d., 4⅛d., 6d. Poonmudi—4/3, 1⅛d. Rosehaugh Ceylon—33/3, 6d. Sephinjuri Sheel—15/3, 4⅛d., 9d., 6d. Singlo—82/6, 3/-, 4/-. Tea Corporation—27/6. Travancore—5 1/16, 1/16, *£5 7/-, 5⅛, ⅛.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

RAND MINES—RESULTS FOR OCTOBER.

City Deep, £64,948; Cons. Main Reef, £13,840; Crown Mines, £85,944; Durban Roodepoort, £6,039; Ferreira Deep, £5,709; Geldenhuis Deep, £3,378; Modderfontein B. Gold, £57,462; Modderfontein East, £2,235; New Modderfontein Gold, £163,855; Nourse Mines, £4,259; Robinson Gold, £2,028; Rose Deep, £11,207; Village Deep, £8,343; Wolhuter Gold Mines, £3,093; Simmer and Jack, £18,672; Robinson Deep, £46,576; Sub Nigel, £7,446; West Springs, £25,149; Spring Mines, £66,484; Aurora West, £3,012; Meyer and Charlton, £16,104; Van Ryn, £11,065; West Rand Cons., £4,021; Geduld Prop., £46,014; Modderfontein Deep, £72,619; Government Areas, £210,162; Langlaagte Estate, £23,331; New Primrose, £3,004; New State Areas, £41,034; Randfontein Estates, £58,411; Van Ryn Deep, £75,044; Witwatersrand, £6,003.

Note.—In calculating revenue, gold has been taken at a value of £4 11/6 per fine ounce, less estimated realisation charges.

TRAFFICS.

Bilbao River and Cantabrian Railway—October, £2,328. Singapore Electric Tramways—Week to November 1, increase 1,642 dollars. Canadian Pacific Railway—Ten days to October 31, decrease 1,904,000 dollars. Nitrate Railway—Period to October 31 (two weeks), increase £27,180. Egyption Delta Light Railways—Ten days to October 20, increase £2,629. Bengal and North-Western Railway—Period to October 11 (eleven days), decrease Rs.42,654. Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway—Period to September 30 (ten days), decrease Rs.10,234. Lucknow Bareilly State Railways—Increase, Rs.2,553. Great Southern of Spain Railway—Week to October 25, decrease pesetas 95,357. (Note—Traffic still delayed on account of damages from floods; complete resumption of traffic expected to commence October 26). Barsi Light Railway—Period ended October 11, Rs.32,400. State of Bahia South-Western Railway—October, increase £336.

Cordoba Central Railway—Week to November 1, £51,000, increase £3,000. East India Tramways—October £4,193, increase £416. Mersey Railway—Week to November 1, £4,604, decrease £189. Metropolitan Railway—Week to November 1 £45,189, increase £9,456. San Paulo Railway—Week to November 2 £26,800, increase £11,309. Alcoy and Gandia Railway—Week to November 1 Ps.22,000, increase Ps.11,500. Salvador Railway—Week to November 1 £2,619, increase £216. Peruvian Corporation—October 1,473,350 soles, increase 232,750 soles.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales at Brisbane yesterday 15,000 bales were offered, of which there was almost a complete clearance. There was keen competition, especially from the Continent, Japan, and America. The market generally was unchanged, but showed a slight hardening tendency. Greasy reached 43½d., which constitutes a record.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT STOCK.

Discussion is proceeding as to the ultimate fate of Metropolitan District Railway Stock. The Underground Electric Railways Company already owns 55 p.c. of this capital, and it is suggested, writes the *Evening Standard*, that it may covet the balance. It is recalled that Central London Railway Stock was acquired by the Underground Company offering a 4 p.c. Guaranteed Stock in its place, and a similar offer to holders of District Stock would, it is thought, be sufficiently tempting to proprietors. We can quite believe this, although District Railway Stock is an improving investment, with its running powers to Southend and its possibilities in the West.

BANKRUPTCIES, ETC.

According to *Kemp's Mercantile Gazette* of November 3rd, 1924, the bankruptcies, deeds and petitions for arrangement, and bills of sale in Ireland, published during the forty-three weeks ending 27th October, numbered 148, 234 and 136 respectively, made up of 110, 159 and 60 in the Free State, and 38, 75 and 76 in Northern Ireland. The number of bonds and judgments registered in Ireland this year, and published during the same period, was 7,261, made up as follows:—In Free State, against farmers 2,430, traders 2,045, and others 1,300. In Northern Ireland, against farmers 580, traders 597, and others 309.

WAGONS-LITS SHARES.

Sir Davison Dalziel, Bart., the London Chairman of the International Sleeping Car Company, has issued a denial of the statements which recently appeared in the French Press to the effect that Wagons-Lits Shares have been bought for English and Italian interests for control. Sir Davison Dalziel states that the demand for the shares has been influenced to some extent by the large increase in the company's earnings.

JOHN WOOD AND BROS.

It is understood that the receiver for John Wood and Bros. (1920), Limited, has received an offer for the purchase of the company. The scheme will require the approval of the Court before acceptance. The firm's mills contain 200,000 spindles and 3,200 looms. The company got into financial difficulties owing to the cotton slump, and the shareholders were called together with a view to winding-up. It was decided to postpone this with a view to reconstruction. The efforts to bring about reconstruction have not proved successful.

CARDIFF EXCHANGE VERY ACTIVE.

The most extraordinary activity prevailed on Cardiff Stock Exchange yesterday. In fact, it is believed that the amount of business done constituted a record, and provided ground for the assumption that there is a vast amount of idle capital locked up in the country. Colliery Shares were tremendously in demand, and there were substantial advances in all the leading securities. Iron and Steel Shares were also very good.

NO L.M.S. STOCK-SPLITTING.

The London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company states:—"There is no foundation whatever for the rumour that the directors have decided to launch a stock-splitting scheme. The question is one that naturally came before the Board in connection with the formation of the Trust Company, but there is not a word of truth in the suggestion that the directors have decided to alter their policy in the matter."

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS IN STRONG DEMAND.

STERLING STEADY.

In the absence of any Treasury bill maturities supplies of floating credit were less plentiful yesterday, being further curtailed by window-dressing operations. As a consequence there was a stronger demand for loans, which, as a rule, commanded 3 to 3½ p.c. Old day-to-day money and weekly fixtures were renewed at 2¾ p.c. The tone of the discount market was rather firmer in sympathy with money, although no actual change was made in rates. Fine three months' bills were 3⅝ to 3 11/16 p.c., with the higher figure the more effective, and the new Treasuries were offered at 3⅝ p.c. Tenders were received to-day for £2,000,000 London County twelve months' bills. Tenders at £96 0s. 7d. received about 70 p.c., above in full. This indicates an average rate of just under 4 p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 5, 1923), 4%

60 days (fine)	3⅝	3 11/16%			
3 months		3 11/16%	Trade	4	4½%
4 months	3⅜	3⅞%	"	4¼	4⅞%
6 months		3⅞%	"	4½	5%
Loans to brokers day-to-day				3½	2¾%
" for a week					2¾%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					2%
Discount houses, at call					2%
at notice					2¼%

Gold fell 2d. per ounce further to 91s. 1d. Bar silver rose ⅛d. per ounce to 34⅛d. for both spot and forward delivery.

The Foreign Exchange market opened rather dull, but sterling, after reacting to 4.53⅞ dollars, following the overnight fall in New York, recovered to 4.54-4.54⅛. French francs were steadier at 86.50-86.60, and Belgian francs at 94.25-94.35, also Italian lire at 104.10-104.20. Among South American exchanges, Buenos Ayres weakened to 43 11/16-44 1/16, and Rio to 5 11/16-5⅞, but Chili improved to 39.70 pesos. Rupees gave way to 1s. 5 11/16d.-1s. 5 13/16d. on the result of the tenders for India Council drafts. Japanese yen advanced to 1s. 8 3/16d.-1s. 8⅜d., Hongkong was 2s. 5d. and Shanghai 3s. 4⅛d. The following are closing quotations:—

—	November 4.		November 3.		Normal Rate
Alexandria	97 1/16		97 1/16		97½
Amsterdam	11.46¾	11.46⅞	11.46	11.46⅞	12.10
B. Ayres	43 11/16	44 1/16	44	44 1/16	47.58
Barcelona	33.70	33.74	33.64	33.67	25.22
Berlin	19.07	billions	19.10	billions	20.40
Bombay	1.5 11/16	1/5⅝	1.5½	1/6	2/0
Brussels	94.25	94.35	94.25	94.35	25.22½
Calcutta	1.5 11/16	1.5⅝	1.5½	1.6	2/0
Christiania	31.52	31.57	31.63	31.62	18.15
Copenhagen	26.16	26.22	26.21	26.24	18.15
Czecho-Slov.	152	152½	152¼	152½	
Finland	180¼	180¾	180½	181	25.22½
Greece	255	258	253	255	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅞	2/5⅛	2/4½	2/5⅛	
Hungary		345,000		345,000	
Italy	104.10	104.20	104.10	104.15	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅜	2⅞	2⅜	2⅞	53⅛d.
Madrid	33.67	33.70	33.67	33.69	25.22½
Mexico	2/3½	sellers	2/3½	sellers	24⅛d.
Montreal	4.53¾	4.54⅛	4.54⅜	4.54½	4.86
Montevideo	48	48⅛	48	48½	51d.
New York	4.53¾	4.54⅛	4.54½	4.55	4.86
Paris	86.50	86.60	86.30	86.62½	25.22
Poland	23.55	23.70	23.55	23.75	25.22½
Rio de Jan.	5⅞	5⅞	5⅝	6	16d.
Roumania	8.00	8.05	8.00	8.05	—
Shanghai	3/4⅛	3.5	3/4⅛	3.4⅜	—
Singapore		2/4⅛		2/4⅛	2/4⅛
Stockholm	17.02	17.04	17.05	17.07	18.15
Switzerland	23.55	23.57	23.58	23.59	25.22
Valparaiso		39.70		39.90	13.33
Vienna		321,500		322,500	—
Yokohama	1/8⅛	1/8⅜	1/8⅛	1/8⅜	2/-

RUBBER CROPS FOR OCTOBER.

Seremban, 38,897 (67,306); Sungei Choh, 31,345 (31,840); Membakut, 33,500; North Borneo State, 17,500; Langkon, North Borneo, 31,000; Sabias, North Borneo, 46,700; United Serdang, Sumatra, 273,843 (239,899); Sialang, 133,774 (19,461); Tandjong, 135,263 (58,345); Anahan, 50,000 (48,000); Bah Lias, 87,600 (80,584); Toerangie, Sumatra, 72,438 (32,692); Meudaris, Sumatra, 143,734 (104,516); Bila, Sumatra, 25,000; Central Sumatra, 19,750 (14,101); Wampoe Tobacco and Rubber, 42,134 (10,975); Soengei Rampah, 24,382 (17,444); Langen Java, 36,839 (52,343); Djasinga, 75,183 (85,523); Majoe Kidoel, 74,057 (88,248); Kasintoe, 44,765 (54,655); Deranakande, 17,650 (27,600); Sumatra Consolidated, 51,756; Sumatra Proprietary, 36,018.

(Crops for October, 1923, in parentheses).

OIL OUTPUT.

Lobitos Oilfields.—Production for October is cabled as 17,478 tons.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—W. to N.W., light breeze; fine.

Coastwise Arrivals—Slievemore, Snowdon, from Holyhead, with goods; Patricia, from Cardiff, with goods; Lady Emerald, from Preston, with goods; Moorfowl, from Glasgow, with goods; Olive, from Heysham, with goods; Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with goods; Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; Carrowdore, from London, with empties; Ashfield, from Preston, with coals; Stanley, Redesmere, Glen Helen, from Garston, with coals; Alder, Agnes Ellen, from Newport, with coals; Point of Ayr, from Point of Aire, with coals; Sard, from Ayr, with coals; Nugget, from Troon, with coals; Wythburn, from Whitehaven, with coals; Briarfield, Glenculien, from Partington, with coals; Drumlough, from Llanelly, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—Slieve Donard, Slievemore, for Holyhead, with goods; Patricia, for Cardiff, with goods; Moorfowl, for Glasgow, with goods; Olive, for Heysham, with goods; Lady Louth, for Liverpool and Birkenhead, with live stock and goods; Carrowdore, for Liverpool, with porter; Marion, Annie Christian (schs.), for Llanelly, with scrap iron; Falavee, St. Fintan, for Ayr, light; Glenageary, for Partington, light; Madie, for Liverpool, light; Cairngorm, Beechfield, Harrier, for Garston, light; Ophir, for Piel, light; Olivine, Alder, Isabeletta, for Newport, light; Point of Ayr, for Point of Aire, light; Doris Thomas, for Troon, light.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADDA, Lagos for Plymouth, called Teneriffe 2.
AKABO, from Liverpool, arrived Sierra Leone 2.
ANDANIA, from Montreal, arrived Gravesend 3.
ANDES, from Southampton, arrived Santos 3.
BOSWORTH, from London, arrived Montreal 1.
BELGIAN, from Liverpool, arrived New Orleans 2.
BRANDON, for London, left Quebec 1.
BOLIVIAN, from Liverpool, arrived Boston 3.
BELLA, for Rosario, left Gravesend 3.
BURBAN MARU, from Yokohama, arr. Gravesend 4.
CALIFORNIA, Clyde for Bombay, left Marseilles 1.
CASTALIA, Bombay for Clyde, left Marseilles 1.
CORNISHMAN, from Avonmouth, arrived Quebec 2.
CORONADO, for Avonmouth, left Kingston 3.
CITY OF BAGDAD, for New York, left the Clyde 4.
CITY OF DURBAN, Yokohama for London, arrived Suez 3.
DINTILDIJK, for London, left San Francisco 1.
DEVANHA, London for Bombay, arrived Port Said 3.
EBANI, for Liverpool, left Lagos 2.
EXPLORER, from Galveston, arrived Mersey 4.
ELYSIA, for Liverpool, left Port Said 4.
FRANCE, New York for Havre, called Plymouth 4.
FRANCISCO, from New York, arrived Hull 4.
GUILDFORD CASTLE, for London, left Mossamedes 2.
GALILEO, for Hull, left New York 2.
GAIKA, from London, arrived Port Natal 1.
HOBSON'S BAY, from Australia, arrived Hull 3.
INTABA, from Demerara, arrived Gravesend 4.
JEKRI, for Sapele, left Gravesend 4.
KARMAL, from London, arrived Shanghai 4.
KHIVA, London for Japan, arrived Port Said 3.
KILDONAN CASTLE, from Southampton, arr. Table Bay 3.
LANCASTRIA, New York for London, called Plymouth 4.
MIRZAPORE, from Bombay, arrived Gravesend 4.
MATINA, for Teneriffe, left Mersey 3.
MALWA, Kobe for London, arrived Yokohama 3.
MOLDAVIA, for London, left Marseilles 3.
MOOLTAN, for London, left Fremantle 3.
MEGANTIC, for Liverpool, left Montreal 1.
MONTREAL, from Clyde, arrived Quebec 1.
MANORA, from Calcutta, arrived Gravesend 4.
NEURALIA, from Southampton, left Port Said 1.
NUBIAN, for Boston, left the Mersey 4.
OROOMA, Callao for Liverpool, arrived Santander 3.
ORTEGA, Valparaiso for Liverpool, left Cristobal 1.
ORCADES, London for Brisbane, arrived Sydney 3.
OXONIAN, for Avonmouth, left Quebec 2.
ORITA, for Liverpool, left Valparaiso 1.
PATIA, for Garston, left Kingston 3.
PACUARE, for Garston, left Kingston 3.
RUNIC, from Brisbane, arrived Gravesend 4.
SALAGA, from Liverpool, arrived Teneriffe 1.
SAMARIA, from Liverpool, arrived Boston 3.
SHEPHERD, from Liverpool, arrived Rio de Janeiro 1.
SICANIA, from London, arrived Rio Grande 3.
THORPE GRANGE, for Rosario, left Gravesend 4.
TSUSHIMA MARU, for Liverpool, left Singapore 3.
TUSCANIA, from Clyde, arrived New York 2.
TREGARRELL, from Port Pirie, arr. Gravesend 4.
TRAFFORD HALL, from London, arr. Algoa Bay 3.
UMTALI, from London, arrived Delagoa Bay 3.
VELLAVIA, for London, left Quebec 2.
VARDULIA, from London, arrived New York 2.
ZARIA, Africa for Liverpool, called Plymouth 3.
ZENT, from Santa Marta, arrived Hull 4.

Cunard Movements.

AQUITANIA arr. Southampton 5 p.m. yesterday.
AURANIA arrived Liverpool at 2 a.m. yesterday.
LANCASTRIA left Cherbourg yesterday for London.
SAMARIA arrived New York yesterday.

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Sole Makers: J. Millhoff & Co., Ltd., 86, Piccadilly, London, W.1.

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DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ANGLO-PERSIAN OIL CO.—Dividend on the Ordinary shares of 10 per cent., less tax, for the year, carrying forward £1,746,643.

ANGELA NITRATE CO.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

BRITISH DARJEELING TEA.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. for 1924, less tax.

BRUNNER MOND AND CO., LTD.—An interim dividend on the Ordinary shares of the company for the half-year ended September last at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum.

DEKHARI TEA CO., LTD.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. per annum actual, less tax, on account of the year to December 31, 1924.

FITCH AND SON.—Interim dividend of 4 per cent. actual, less tax, on Ordinary Shares.

IPOH TIN DREDGING.—A further interim dividend in respect of the year ending March 31, 1925, of 9d. per share, less tax.

JOHN BROWN AND CO.—The directors of John Brown and Co., Sheffield and Clydebank, have decided to pay an interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, being 6d. per share on the Fully-paid Ordinary Shares, and 4½d. on the Part-Paid, less tax. The rate is the same as for the last two or three years.

JOSEPH STOCKS.—Dividend on Ordinary Shares of 10 per cent. (against nothing last year).

KENWARD AND COURT.—Final dividend at rate of 7½ per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year.

MALAYALAM SHARE OFFER.—The directors of Malayalam Plantations, Ltd., are offering 130,860 shares for subscription by existing shareholders at a premium of 12/6 per share, and the full sum of 32/6 per share is payable upon application. The proceeds of the issue will be available for certain contemplated extensions of the existing tea areas and for the general purposes of the company. One new share is offered for every complete ten shares now held.

NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND CO.—Final dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary, free of tax.

SANTA CATALINA NITRATE CO.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., less tax, making 22½ per cent. for the year.

TANDJONG RUBBER.—Dividend for year of 10 per cent. (2/- per share), less tax.

TANDJONG MALIM RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent. net.

THOMAS OWEN AND CO.—Interim dividend on Ordinary shares at rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

WILLIAM HANCOCK AND CO.—Dividend of 8/- per share, less tax, on Defd. shares.

ENGLISH GOOD HUMOUR.

AN IRISHMAN'S VIEW OF THE ELECTIONS.

The longer I live among Englishmen, the more I admire them (says Mr. Robert Lynd in the *Sunday Chronicle*). I do not admire their climate, and I do not admire their mania for crowding as many general elections as possible into a lifetime. But I do admire their invincible good humour, which even their miserable climate and their still more miserable elections seem unable to depress.

It is the boast of the Englishman that he belongs to an Empire on which the sun never sets and to a country on which the sun never rises. Only a good-humoured people could have put up with such a country.

Whenever I read stories of hooliganism, such as we all have been reading in the papers lately, I keep myself from taking too tragic a view of the matter by reminding myself that for every hooligan in the country there are probably at least a hundred good-humoured Englishmen.

On Wednesday night I stood in the rain outside a Tube station and watched the results of the polls being flashed on to a screen, and though the crowd consisted of men and women of all parties, cheering and boohing their lungs out, I did not see a sign of ill-temper on the part of anybody, except two ladies, who both saw red, one with a hostile, the other with a rapturous eye.

Even the worst joke was sure of a welcoming shout of laughter, and some of the jokes were the worst I have ever heard outside a Christmas pantomime.

LUGGAGE RULES IN HOTELS.

RESULT OF THE £850 COMPENSATION CASE.

Orders have been given in some of the big London hotels increasing the restrictions in regard to the withdrawal of luggage stored by them.

These new instructions are a sequel to the action in which Miss Gladys F. Waterbury, daughter of a U.S. banker, was awarded £850 damages against the Hyde Park Hotel for loss of her luggage.

"Hotel guests often complain now of delays in obtaining their luggage because of our red tape rules, but in future the precautions we must take will be greater than ever," said a London hotel authority to a reporter.

"No night porter after this will hand out baggage to messengers unless the reception office is still open and the handwriting can be compared with the register.

"You may have 600 people staying in your hotel at a time; it is quite impossible to know them all, and those who have valuable luggage depend largely on servants, and do not look after it themselves" (said Sir Francis Towle, the managing director of the Gordon Hotels).

"We had a similar trick played on us at the Hotel Victoria last year.

"A man came with a note that appeared quite genuine, and was given a visitor's luggage. I paid compensation without contesting the case, because the signature had not been checked as it should have been."

The King's bounty of £3 has been received on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Payne, parents of the triplets born in New End Hospital, Hampstead, on Election Day.

The Anglo-South American Bank, Limited.

Head Office:
62, OLD BROAD STREET, LONDON, E.C.2.

Authorised Capital	£10,000,000	Issued Capital	£8,734,660
Reserve Fund	4,000,000	Paid-up Capital	4,367,330

The Bank, in addition to 6 branches in SPAIN, has, with its
AFFILIATED INSTITUTIONS—
THE BRITISH BANK OF SOUTH AMERICA, LTD., and
THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SPANISH AMERICA, LTD.
54 Offices in the principal countries of LATIN AMERICA.

AUXILIARIES:
ANGLO SOUTH AMERICAN TRUST COMPANY, NEW YORK
(Incorporated under laws of State of New York) and
BANQUE ANGLO-SUD AMERICAINE, Soc. Anon., PARIS.

Irish Agency: NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LTD., BELFAST.

TO-DAY, AT 1 O'CLOCK.

43 MARLBOROUGH ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

MODERN FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS,

COMPRISING CHIEFLY—Upright Piano, in ebony case, by Witton, Witton, and Co.; Antique Chesterfield Suite, Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet, do. Hat and Coat Stand, do. Dining Table, Chesterfield Suite, Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet do., Hut and Coat Stand, do. Dining Table, Set of 6 Walnut Chairs, covered in pegamoid; Inlaid Mahogany and Walnut Bedroom Suites and Chests of Drawers, Mahogany and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding; Axminster and Brussels Carpets and Rugs, Table Glass and China, Plated Ware and Sundry China, Ornaments; Kitchen Utensils and other Miscellaneous Effects.

On View This Morning, 10 to 1. Sale will commence at 1 o'clock.
Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

"WATERLOO," TEMPLE GARDENS, PALMERSTON PARK,

On FRIDAY NEXT, NOV. 7th, 1924, at 1 o'clock p.m.,

THE ABOVE EXCEPTIONALLY ATTRACTIVE MODERN RESIDENCE (WITH POSSESSION).

"WATERLOO" is a well-built, detached and non-basement House, of compact design, containing 3 reception rooms on the same floor as the ample service accommodation, and seven bedrooms, together with dressing, cloak and bathrooms. The whole being in excellent condition.

THE HOUSE, standing upon 1r. 10p., in a much-favoured suburb, is situated within a few minutes' walk of rail and tram routes, but is removed from the annoyance of main road traffic. THE PROPERTY IS HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE, under a deed dated 13th November, 1896, and is subject to £15 per annum rent charge, less deductions. This charge was granted by Mrs. Mary J. Hearn. The Grounds include a good garden, with full-sized tennis court. Also, at rear and adjoining, a LARGE PIECE OF GROUND, held from 1913, for 999 years, at £10 per annum, upon which are built 4 garages and stabling, and an aviary, 24 feet by 16 feet.

This Property will be offered for Sale at The Galleries, 6 Upper Ormond quay. Those interested can View the House any day This Week between the hours of 12 and 5.

Solicitors—O'KEEFFE and LYNCH, 30 Molesworth street, Dublin.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE, SILVER, CHINA, &c.

AT

"WATERLOO," TEMPLE GARDENS, PALMERSTON PARK,

ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH, AND FOLLOWING DAY.

Including particularly—A SET OF 14 CHIPPENDALE CHAIRS, DESIGNED AND CARVED IN THE CHINESE TASTE; A COLLECTION OF OLD CHINA, GROUPS, FIGURES AND ORNAMENTS; CHIPPENDALE MAHOGANY DISPLAY CABINET, OLD SILVER AND PLATED WARE, SHERATON WRITING TABLE, GEORGIAN MAHOGANY TWO-FRONT BOOK CHEFFONIER, MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, IN THE CHIPPENDALE MANNER; TURKEY AND AXMINSTER CARPETS; OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS, MAHOGANY ANGLE CUPBOARD, MASON'S IRONSTONE DINNER SERVICE, WORCESTER DESSERT DITTO, and the VERY SUPERIOR BEDROOM FURNITURE.

A Catalogue descriptive of the above and other Contents of the House will be issued on next Friday morning, price 2/-, which will admit visitors to View and Sale.
View Day on MONDAY, 10th INST. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

NEWSTEAD, CLONSKEAGH

(10 MINUTES' WALK FROM TRAM TERMINUS).

BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, are favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on TUESDAY, the 18th inst., commencing at 12 o'clock, the Contents of the above Premises,

EXCELLENT FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,

Principally—A SET OF TWELVE DININGROOM CHAIRS, IN CARVED MAHOGANY FRAMES; Diningroom Table, Sideboard and Dumb Waiter, in mahogany; Pair of Elbow Chairs and a Pair of Easy Chairs in ditto; Carved and Giltwood Overmantel, Rosewood Etagere, Bronze Clock and Candelabra Suite, TWO HANDSOME TURKEY CARPETS, Opossum and Bear Skin Rugs, Boule Display Cabinet, Easy and Occasional Chairs, in silk and cretonne; BABY GRAND BY BROADWOOD, IN ROSEWOOD CASE; End of Room Mirror, in carved and giltwood frame; Gilt Console Table, Suite of Silk Tapestry Curtains, 3 Brass Floor Lamps, Overmantel, in carved and giltwood frame; Axminster Carpet, Oblong Seat, covered in needlework; Reclining Chair and Couch, in corduroy; Marble Clock, Suite of Velour Curtains; Oil Paintings and Engravings, Pair of Painted Jardinieres, Set of 6 Antique Mahogany Chairs, with teal backs; Salter Typewriter, Hall Table, in mahogany, on cabriole legs; Sheraton Secretaire, Hall Chairs and Hat and Coat Stand; SHERATON GENT'S WARDROBE, ANTIQUE MAHOGANY SOFA TABLE, Antique do., Dressing Table and Mirror, Inlaid Mahogany Wardrobe, do. Dressing Table, do. Washstand, Satin Walnut Suite, Brass and White Enamel Bedsteads, Turkey and Axminster Carpets, Cheval Glass, Cretonne and Tapestry Curtains, two Carved and Enamelled Bedroom Suites, Marble-top Table, on carved and giltwood support. The Contents of the Servants' Quarters and Kitchen; ALSO

THE OUTDOOR EFFECTS,

Including—Three Milch Cows, Shorthorn, second calf; Kerry, first calf, and a Pure-bred Imported Jersey Springer (in calf to prize bull); 40 Head of Fowl (Leghorns, ex Snowden), two 100-Egg Incubators, Snowden Rearer, 2 Motor Cars (4 and 2-seaters), Metal Roller (water ballast), Pennsylvania Lawn Mowers, Tennis Net and Marker, Garden Tools, Galvanised Corn Bins, Mangel and Hay Cutters, Garden Seats, Galvanised Water Carrier, Water Barrels, Feeding Tubs, Stone Ware Troughs, Mangle, Dairy Pails, 2 Gent.'s Bicycles (Raleigh), etc., etc.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

IMPORTANT (3 DAYS) AUCTION

(PER DIRECTION OF TRUSTEES).

TO DRAPERS, TOY AND FANCY DEALERS, JOB STOCK BUYERS, &c.

J. RYAN & SONS,
AUCTIONEERS, HOUSE AND LAND AGENTS,
40 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,
HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO

SELL TO THE TRADE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY),
AT 12 O'CLOCK; ALSO ON
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) AND FRIDAY,
WITHOUT RESERVE, THE FOLLOWING STOCKS:—

2,000 Yards All Wool Costume Cloth, Men's and Boys' Suits, Ladies' Frocks, 383 Men's Overcoats, 20 Gross Boxes Shampoo Powders, 500 Beautiful Dolls, a very large quantity of Toys, 22 Gross Tubes Face Powder; All Wool White Blankets, Quilts, 500 Gross Copying Pencils, 22,000 ft. Rubber Tubing, 40 Dozen Pairs of Scissors, Motor Gloves, 60 DOZ. OXFORD and FLANNELETTE SHIRTS, and many other lines, too numerous to mention.

J. RYAN & SONS, AUCTIONEERS.
'PHONE 801.

"OAKLY PARK," CELBRIDGE.

SALE TO-DAY AND FOLLOWING DAYS AT 11.30 A.M.
(AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED)
SPECIAL 'BUS SERVICE FROM PARKGATE STREET AT 10-40 A.M.

SUMMARY OF EACH DAY'S SALE:—

TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), AT 11.30 A.M.—Stairs, Landings, Library (Furniture), Bedrooms, House Linen. Lots 320-728
THURSDAY, AT 11.30 A.M.—Furniture of Servants' Hall and Kitchen, Culinary Utensils. THE LIBRARY OF BOOKS ABOUT 1.30 P.M.
FRIDAY, AT 11.30 A.M.—THE PURE-BRED BRITISH FRIESIAN CATTLE AND SHORTHORN CATTLE and Calves, 2 Farm Horses, Farm and Agricultural Machinery, Dairy Fittings, Poultry, &c., will be offered. IMPLEMENTS, 11.30. CATTLE, 12 NOON.

Purchasers to pay 5% Fees. Catalogues to admit to Sale, price 1s. each.
For further particulars apply to
T. T. MECREDY and SON, Solicitors, 91 Merrion square, Dublin; or THE AUCTIONEERS,

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A.,
GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

MOST DESIRABLE SUBURBAN RESIDENCE FOR SALE,

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

THOMAS GARLAND has received instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, at 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY, DUBLIN, at the hour of One o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, the DWELLINGHOUSE AND PREMISES, formerly known as No. 1 SUMMERVILLE TERRACE, NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD, now known as 69 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD, in the City of Dublin.

Descriptive Particulars and Tenure—The House contains six apartments, also kitchen, scullery, pantries, hot and cold bath, fitted with electric light throughout (the Electrolier and Blinds will go with the House); Gardens front and rear. The Premises are held under lease dated 2nd January, 1850, made by the Right Hon. Henry John Viscount Palmerston to John Langan for the term of 99 years from 29th September, 1846, subject to the yearly rent of £4 10/-. Poor Law Valuation, £25.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
Mr. JOHN J. McDONALD, Solicitor for Vendors, 116 Grafton street, Dublin; or to

THOMAS GARLAND,
AUCTIONEER & VALUER, 8 MERCHANTS QUAY, DUBLIN.

VERY VALUABLE MEATH FARM, FINE HOUSE AND OFFICES.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
Unless previously disposed of,

MACETOWN,

For R. Sheridan, Esq., with immediate possession.

The House, Stabling, and large Out-offices are all stone-built, slated and in good order.

The Land, comprising some of the best Fattening Lands in Meath, is held FREE OF RENT, contains 208a. 2r. 38p., S.M., and is situated between Dunshaughlin and Rathfeigh. The P.L.V. is £141.

Particulars from MELDON and CO., Solicitors, 14 Upper Ormond quay.

LEONARD, SON & CO., LTD.,
17 LOWER DOMINICK STREET, DUBLIN.

Auctioneers will greatly oblige by posting on Wednesday all Advertisements they require inserted in Saturday's issue of the "Irish Times."

THE MANAGER.

FOR SENDING ABROAD TO FRIENDS, the best Irish Paper is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Price Twopence.

"ROSARIA," GREYSTONES, CO. WICKLOW.

I HAVE received instructions from Miss S. M. Froste to
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
On FRIDAY, the 14th day of NOVEMBER,
At the hour of 1 o'clock p.m.,
THE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE RESIDENCE,
Which includes:

HALL—Inlaid Sheraton Grandfather Clock, Oak Hall Chairs, Tables.
DRAWINGROOM—Suite, Mahogany Tables, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Harmonium, Pictures, Fenders, China, Glass (including old Set Copeland Fruit Service), and Dinner Service, Carpets, Walnut Davenport, China Cabinet, Plants, etc., etc.
DININGROOM—Suite, Mahogany Tables, Chairs, etc.; Carpets, Fenders, etc.; China, Glass, Clocks, Books, Pictures, Walter, Butler's Tray, etc. etc.
BEDROOMS—Contents of Six Bedrooms, including Mahogany Bedroom Suite (9 pieces), Gent.'s Mahogany Wardrobe, Double and Single Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Linen, Blankets and Bedding; Oak, etc., Bedroom Suites, Toilet Ware, Bedroom Carpets, Two Lounge Chairs.
KITCHEN, SCULLERY, AND PANTRIES—Contents of Kitchen, etc.; Vacuum Sweeper, etc., etc.
OUTSIDE—Tool House, 6 feet x 7 feet; Garden Roller, Water Ballast, Invalid Bath Chair, Pennsylvania Lawn Mower, 4 Garden Chairs, quantity of Tools, etc.

On View Thursday, 13th November, 1924, from 2 to 5 o'clock p.m.
Admission to Sale—One Shilling, refundable to purchasers.

EDWARD F. HARRIS,
Auctioneer, etc.
DELGANY, CO. WICKLOW.
'Phone—Greystones, 43.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

TUESDAY NEXT, 11TH NOVEMBER.

10 SUMMERHILL ROAD, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

ELECTRIC TRAM PASSING. ADJOINING SANDYCOVE RAILWAY STATION.

Two storeys over ground basement, good return building; well built, in good order; gas, Vartry water. Containing 8 apartments, bathroom, hot and cold water, separate w.c., wash-hand basin, etc.; gardens front and rear, rear entrance. Held for 99 years from May, 1922, at £16 per annum.
POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

ALLENVALE, NEWTOWNSMITH, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Two storeys, no basement, facing the sea; convenient to electric tram and railway station. Containing 8 apartments (sittingroom opening to garden), bathroom, hot and cold water, w.c.; side entrance large enough for motor house; garden at rear, well laid out. Lease 99 years from May, 1932. Head rent, £14. POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.
Messrs. HENRY T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, Clare street.

SALE, IN ONE OR TWO DIVISIONS.

RESIDENCE AND VALUABLE DAIRY FARM. FASSAROE, NEAR BRAY, CO. WICKLOW.

RESIDENCE AND 326A. 1R. 19P., STATUTE MEASURE, SITUATED ON ENNISKERRY ROAD, WITHIN 3 MILES OF BRAY.

The Residence is a substantial two-storeyed structure, occupying an elevated position, from which exquisite views are commanded.

The Lands make an admirable dairy farm, for which every provision has been made. Tying for over 60 head of cattle, spacious well-constructed hay sheds, haggards, spacious lofts, outdoor dairies, nine stalls, two loose boxes, and various other offices, with ample yard space. The dwellinghouse and offices are wired for electric lighting. There are two hydraulic rams for pumping water from the river, which forms part of the boundary of the lands. There are three large water storage tanks, five labourers' cottages and two gate lodges. The lands have been maintained in the best condition, and have been farmed on modern scientific principles.

The Property is held in Fee-simple, subject to a Land Purchase Annuity, commencing November, 1888, and now amounting to £127 6/2 per annum. The Property will be Sold in One Lot, or the House and about 222 Acres will be Sold in one division, subject to £80 per annum, and the remainder of the Land in one division, subject to the balance of the annuity. Seen only on written order.

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE and KELLER, Solicitors for the Owner, 46 Kildare street.

A MOST DESIRABLE RESIDENCE. FIRST-CLASS POSITION. No. 4 KNAPTON TERRACE, KNAPTON ROAD, MONKSTOWN.

A well-built modern House, containing 3 sitting rooms and 4 bedrooms, kitchen, maid's room; bathroom (hot and cold water), w.c.; gas, and Vartry water throughout. Lease 65 years unexpired. Head rent, £7 4s. 0d. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
CHARLES J. REDDY and SONS, Solicitors, 14 Westland Row.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
110 GRAFTON STREET.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

PROPERTY SALE, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), Nov. 6TH,
IN OUR SALEROOMS, SOUTH GT. GEORGE'S STREET, AT 1.15 P.M.

WELL-SECURED PROFIT RENT OF £53 19s. 9d. PER ANNUM.

Secured by the Licensed Houses and Premises known as 64 and 65 Charlemont street, and held under a Fee-Farm Grant at the yearly rent of £25 0s. 3d. No. 64 Charlemont street is Let under lease for ever at a rent of £42, and No. 65 Charlemont street under a lease for ever at a rent of £37. There is, therefore, a total incoming rent of £79.
Messrs. E. F. COLLINS and SONS, Solicitors, 19 Eustace street.

18 COWPER ROAD, PALMERSTON PARK

(WITH POSSESSION).

A well-built Modern Residence, with possession, containing drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, dressingrooms, servants' rooms, hot bath, kitchen, with close range; nice garden, and room for motor house. One minute from two trams. The House is held subject to £7 per annum, with a lease of 117 years from 1907. Immediate possession can be had.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. O'NEILL and COLLINS, Solicitors, 43/44 Lower Sackville street; or from the AUCTIONEERS, from whom Orders to View can be obtained.

4 PRETORIA VILLAS, DOLLYMOUNT

(WITH POSSESSION).

A Modern Semi-detached House, very pleasantly situated, on the Clontarf tram line, facing the sea, enjoying fine views, and with open fields at side and back, and convenient to Dollymount Golf Links. The House contains drawingroom, diningroom, tiled kitchen, pantry and scullery; 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, with hot and cold supply; nice garden and fowl run, and room for motor garage. Held for 200 years, about. Subject to £4 per annum.
For Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. SHANNON and CO., 19 Upper Ormond quay, and Order to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

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800 STORE CATTLE

AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
Commencing at 11 o'clock.

Included in Sale are three beautiful Pedigree Shorthorn Cows, purchased at the late Mrs. Upton Moutray's Dispersal Sale, one with calf at foot and two due to calve in the Spring. PEDIGREES AT SALE.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

GRAZING LANDS TO LET BY AUCTION.

AUBURN, MALAHIDE.—50 Irish Acres, in suitable divisions, on WEDNESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock.
OAK PARK, CASTLEKNOCK.—40 Acres, in convenient-sized divisions, on SAME DAY, at 3 o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

MESSRS. HOLDEN'S SALE.

TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), 5th NOV., at 1 o'c.
VERY DESIRABLE SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH GARAGE.
70 BOTANIC ROAD.

NEAT COTTAGE (POSSESSION),
15 HAWTHORN TERRACE

BUSINESS PREMISES AND DWELLINGHOUSE,
"KELLY'S," 5 DEAN STREET.

Nos 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8 and 9
KILLARNEY AVENUE
(FOUR LOTS).

COMPACT DWELLINGHOUSE,
20 SUSANVILLE ROAD

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers (M.I.A.A.),
SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

DUBLIN XMAS FAT STOCK SHOW AND SALE.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S CUP.

The Dublin Cattle Salesmasters' Association will hold its Annual Show and Sale of Fat Cattle and Sheep in the Cattle Market on WEDNESDAY, 10th DECEMBER NEXT.

ENTRIES CLOSE 10th NOV.

His Excellency the Governor-General has kindly given a valuable Silver Cup, to be offered for the best Group of 4 Cattle in the Group Classes.

For List of Classes and Entry Forms apply to
FRANK WARNER, Secretary,
23 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ARMAGH ROAD, PORTADOWN.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF VERY SUPERIOR NEW VILLA RESIDENCE.

I HAVE been instructed by the Owners to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the AUCTION MART, EDWARD STREET, PORTADOWN, WEDNESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, 1924 (if not disposed of by Private Treaty), at the hour of 12 o'clock noon:

All that highly desirable and very superior VILLA RESIDENCE, "HEBUTERNE," situate on the Armagh road, at the Boundary of Portadown, and held under lease dated 26th day of October, 1923, for the term of 999 years at the yearly rent of £6 8/-.

The Residence has a decorative area in front, enclosed with a 2ft. 6in. ornamental railing, erected on a 2ft. stone wall foundation, and has a direct southern aspect, is nicely situated, commands an uninterrupted view of the Mourne Mountains. The bays are fitted with segmental windows. It contains dining and drawingroom, 18ft. x 12ft., with 9½ft. ceilings, and massive cornices and picture rail, polished fireplaces, with convertible barless fire, tiled hearths to match; breakfast room, 12ft. x 12ft., polished mantel, fitted with ornamental canopy, tiles to match, barless fire; 6ft. tiled hall, tesselated pattern tiles, inside screen doors, raised panels, fitted with embossed glass lights; electric bell throughout.

Kitchen has 4ft. close range, with copper cylinder and 40-gallon tank, fitted with white enamel tiles, plate rack and boiler. The floor is tiled with best quality 9-in. tiles, and walls finished off in keen cement. There is also a spacious scullery and pantry, white enamel jaw-box, tiled and finished in same manner as kitchen. The stairs are of pitch pine, with a solid mahogany continuous handrail, well polished and beautifully finished. There is a 6ft. landing, which could be converted into a nursery.

The bathroom has 3 linen presses, also best Doulton bath, with a large size white enamel wash-hand basin. The w.c. is separate from bathroom. All fittings were supplied by Messrs. Doulton, of Paisley.

There are two double bedrooms, with high ceilings, cornices, and picture rail, fitted with polished fire places, tiled hearth to match, and ornamental canopies. The gas fittings throughout are bronze. The other bedrooms are finished in a similar manner. All the rooms are finished with best grey finish. The town gas is laid on in the entire house.

There is a spacious yard at rear, properly cemented, with covered ashpit, and coal house, 10ft. x 6ft.

There is a carriage way and garden at rear, upon which could be erected a subsidy house, having upwards of 28ft. frontage to the new street which is in course of making. The sanitary arrangements are perfect. The roof water is carried off by syphon gullies.

This desirable House was specially built for, and under the personal supervision of, the owners. It was not built to put on the market for sale. It is being sold with Vacant Possession. The Auctioneer can with confidence recommend it to those seeking a nicely situated and comfortable home.

For further particulars apply to

GEO. JOHNSTON,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
PORTADOWN.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

WENTWORTH HOUSE, WICKLOW.

I HAVE received instructions from the Representatives of the late R. N. Wynne, Esq., J.P., to SELL THE ABOVE RESIDENCE
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
On WEDNESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER,
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C. CLANCY,
Courthouse, Sligo.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.

TO COAL MERCHANTS.

Tenders are hereby invited for the Supply of Slack to the various Corporation services for the period from 1st December, 1924, to 31st March, 1925. The approximate quantity required is 200 Tons, and same shall be supplied in accordance with specification and conditions of Contract, which can be obtained in the Housing, Workshops and Supplies Department on any day during office hours, on payment of the sum of one shilling.

Tenders in sealed envelopes endorsed "Tenders for Slack (Supplies Section)" and addressed to the Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin must reach me not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 17th instant.

By Order,
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
4th November, 1924.

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SELF Contained Flat (Unfurnished), two bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchenette, electric light, bath; about £6 monthly; vicinity Stephen's Green, Mount street.—C 109, this office. 3 E

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WANTED, Half Unfurnished House; moderate; South side; adults; Protestants.—C 164, this office. 3 E

WANTED, 3-Roomed Unfurnished Flat, vicinity Rathmines or Rathgar.—C 124, this office. 3 C

WANTED, 3 Unfurnished Rooms, over shop or anywhere in city; no children; moderate.—C 185, this office. 3 E

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WANTED, Unfurnished Room, Ranelagh or near.—217, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

BRAY—To Let, Furnished, 3 Loretto terrace; five rooms, etc.; £84 year. 4 F

BLACKROCK—Advertisements for "Irish Times" received at 41 Main street up to 3.30 p.m. for following day's Paper. T

BRAY—Advertisements for "Irish Times" will be received by Miss McCann, 96 Main st., Bray. X

CLONDALKIN—Charming well Furnished Cottage Residence in demesne, with small garden, to Let for about six months; £2 2/- per week; 2 sitting, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), etc. Apply A. B., c/o Townshend and Dickinson, 23 South Frederick street. 4 D

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED

LAURENCETOWN—To Let, Glenbanna House; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c. water); fruit and vegetable garden; stabling and garage; two minutes' walk from railway station; telephone; rent £70, free of taxes. Apply Hazelbank Weaving Co., Ltd., Laurencetown, Co. Down. 31 F

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COMFORTABLY Furnished Apartments, good cooking, attendance, moderate.—13 Windsor terrace, Dun Laoghaire. 3 E

DUN Laoghaire—Self contained Flat to Let, Furnished.—4 Eden Park. 6 1

DALKEY—Nicely Furnished Rooms, bed-sittingroom, or Flat; moderate. Address "Z 3821, Apartments," this office. 3 E

FURNISHED Flat, facing sea; also Unfurnished Apartments.—14 Longford terrace, Monkstown. 2 D

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KINGSTOWN—Apartments with Board, in first class neighbourhood; suit professional man or banker.—B 1930, this office. 31 C

KINGSTOWN—Most convenient, quiet, select Furnished Apartments; good cooking, bath.—39, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 4 F

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED

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YOUNG—In fond and ever-lov... Benjamin Poyntz Young, Captain ... Sandymount road, Dublin, died at ... Cork, 6th November, 1916, and ... Robert, R.A.M.C., died of wounds ... of Aisne 27th September, 1914; ... Rifle Brigade, died of illness contr... service in France at Tidworth, ... 1918.

BIRTH.

DUFFY—October 30, 1924, at ... Earlsfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. ... point Cottage, Monkstown, a son.

MARRIAGES.

REYNETT and HAUGHTON ... 1924, at Carbury Parish Church, ... Long, M.A., Rector of Timolin, ... Rev. Paul Quigley, M.A., Rector ... William H. Reynett, Portersize ... second son of the late Benjamin ... Millview, Ballytore, to Gwendoline ... daughter of George Haughton, Ball...

WALKER and McMASTER—O... at Holy Trinity, Brompton, by the ... A. Gough, Major C. E. Walker, ... Artillery, son of the late Right H... Bart., Lord Chancellor, and Lady ... youngest daughter of the late H. ... Mrs. McMaster.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS receiv... insertion in this column will ... Page 6.

BOURNE—November 1, 1924, ... Berry Hill, Castle Lyons, Coun... Richard Bourne, aged 73, younge... Richard Bourne (12th Regiment), ... Cork, and 41 Leeson street, Dubli...

BOYLE—November 5, 1924, ... Eva Anne, youngest daughter of ... late Elizabeth Boyle, Slane, Coun... Remains conveyed by motor hea... Cross at 3.30 to Slane Parish Chu... day). Office and High Mass at 11 ... (Friday) morning, the 7th inst. ... Cemetery, Navan, on same day 2 ...

CHAPMAN—At the Rectory, ... Clare, Rev. J. H. Chapman, ... Funeral leaves Corofin at 1 o'clock ... for interment in Maryborough ... morrow (Friday).

HARGADON—All Souls' Day, ... dence, Arklow road, Gorey, Micha... master, aged 51 years, fortified ... Catholic Church. R.I.P. Interred ... Cemetery, after High Mass and ... November 4th.

JAMESON—October 28, 1924, ... 7a Esplanade, Bridlington, York ... much suffering, Ernest E. Jam... husband of Eva Jameson. Deeply ...

KELLY—November 4, 1924, ... in Dublin, Helen Mary, eldest da... John William Kelly, St. Helen's, ... (strictly private) Kilternan Chu... day).

LAWLESS—November 5, 1924, ... Shankill, Lawrence J. Lawless, ... ing House. Funeral Little B... morrow (Friday) 3 p.m.

McCLUSKEY—November 6, ... dence, Balally, Dundrum, Anne, ... Abraham McCluskey. Deeply ... Remains will be removed to th... Assumption, Sandyford, at 6 p.m. ... Funeral at 11 a.m. to-morrow (... town.

MURRAY—November 5, ... Murray, wife of late John Murr... Ballinasloe. High Mass at 11 ... (Friday) morning. Funeral imm... to Kilbegley.

O'CONNELL—November 5, ... David O'Connell, C Division, D... Police, 42 Eccles street. R.I.P. ... removed from Mater Hospital to ... p.m. to-day (Thursday), 6th inst. ... Glasnevin, after Solemn High M... to-morrow (Friday) morning, 7th ...

PERROTT—November 5, 1924, ... Cork, Rebecca (Rebie), widow of ... Perrott, and daughter of the late ... Funeral private. No flowers.

RATHWELL—November 5, ... Fairwood, Tinahely, Thomas ... Banogue, aged 86 years. Funera... Tubberneering, 11 o'clock, to-mo...

ROUNTREE—September 9, ... ton North Hospital, New Zeal... illness, Samuel Rountree (forme... Cootehill, County Cavan).

WATSON—November 4, 1924, ... Killurine, Tullamore, John Wats... Funeral, 2 p.m., to-day (Thursda...

ACKNOWLEDGM...

Mr. Middleton and family be... thanks to all kind friends who ... them in their recent bereavement...

IN MEMORIA...

BAILEY—To the dear, ever-... Lettie and Lil, much-loved in... daughter of William and ... "Braemar," Upper Cherryfield ... called Home November 6th and ... "And love and sorrow still ... And find a hiding-place, a ...

BRENNAN—In ever-loving m... husband, John Needham Brenn... Home November 6, 1923. "Th... in everlasting remembrance." P...

GILCHRIST—Seventh Annive... loving memory of William Al... James and Margaret Gilchrist, w... killed on 6th November, 1917. ... What though in lonely ... For one beloved, no longe... Submissive still would we... "Thy will be done."

HAFNER—Fifteenth Anniver... loving memory of my dearl... Frederick Hafner, 50 South Gr... who died 6th November, 1909. ... loving wife and children. "Thy ...

O'LEARY—First Anniversa... memory of our dear mother, ... departed this life 6th November ... dence, 27 Mountpleasant Buildi... whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have m... this day for the repose of her ... Peaceful be your rest, dea... 'Tis sweet to breathe ... In life we loved you very ... In death we do the sa... Inserted by her loving son and ...

TROUGHTON—In loving m... husband, Edward Troughton, ... master of Kilkenny Model Sc... 6th November, 1923. "To l... those we leave behind is not to ...

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